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### Cost of Imperialism to This Country.

Alvin (Texas) Commoner.

Imperialism has cost this government up to date, $250,000,000. The returns from this investment to date are 0.

This statement includes transportation and construction, but not any appropriations growing out of the Civil War or the Spanish War. During 1897, the Austro-Hungary Army, 354,196 strong, cost in round numbers $56,000,000; the French Army, 538,759 strong, cost in round numbers $125,000,000; the Germany Army, 589,000 strong, cost in round numbers $136,000,000, and the Italian Army, 273,000 strong, cost in round numbers $45,000,000.

All the war budgets of the Continental armies include not only the cost of maintaining the standing army itself, but the charges arising from past wars. Thus the war budget of Germany, which is $136,000,000, carries with it the expenses arising out of the war with France and the war with Austria.

The French war budget, which is $125,000,000, includes the expenses growing out of the late war with Germany, as well as pension claims, etc.

Concluding a long statistical editorial on this subject, giving official figures, the St. Louis Republic says:

These figures are not disputed. Their correctness is admitted.

The debate on the army bill has brought out these additional important facts concerning the cost of the military establishment of President McKinley, Emperor of the Philippines, and Tax Collector of Puerto Rico. The cost of the military establishment per capita of population is: In Austria, $1 25; in France, $3 25; in Germany, $2 59; in Italy, $1 47. In the United States, including appropriations for the cost of the present war, and the expenses growing out of past wars, it is $4 16.

In other words, every man, woman and child in this country is taxed, by the present system of "benevolent assimilation" in the Philippines, and 15 per cent. of Dingleyism in Puerto Rico, $4 16 every twelve months for the maintenance of the standing army and the payment of pensions.

### The Amendment.

F. D. Winston.

Every great movement in the constitutional life of any people has a sure foundation. A people's fundamental law changes slowly. In the dawn of constitutional liberty in America the cry of the "divine right of kings" was drowned in the surging cry that the people must have voice in the councils of State.

In these closing hours of a century the descendants of the men who declared against the rule of enlightened kings, dare to provide against the rule of the benighted slave. In the light of its unwise bestowal and in the fuller light of the base uses to which it has been put we of North Carolina declare that the ballot in the hand of the ignorant black man is a menace to our civilization.

### General Buller's Misfortunes.

Baltimore Sun.

The "roasting" General Buller gets in the report of General Roberts, just published in the Gazette and other papers, portends, it is believed, his removal from the command of the British army in Natal, just as the publication of Roberts' criticisms upon General Gatacre's mismanagement at Stormburg portended that officer's removal to England. The publication of such criticisms would, of course, be a useless cruelty and demoralizing to the troops in Natal if not intended to prepare the public mind for a change of commanders. The gist of the objection to Buller is that he did not enforce obedience to his orders on the part of officers under his command. Buller's plan in his second effort for the relief of Ladysmith was to have General Warren cross the upper Tugela far to the left of Colenso and make a wide circuit toward the besieged town. But Warren took a different course and spoiled it all. Buller's plan, says Roberts, was a good one. It promised success if followed up persistently. But Warren, without permission, abandoned it in favor of a plan of his own which involved the capture of Spion kop, and after the kop was taken Thorneycroft, in turn, without Warren's permission, abandoned it unnecessarily, with the result of defeating the entire movement. And General Buller amiably acquiesced in this virtual insubordination.

He had had a like experience at Colenso when he made his first movement to cross the Tugela for the relief of Ladysmith. On that occasion, ignoring explicit orders from Buller to await the support of infantry and then to proceed to a certain spot with his cannon, Colonel Long darted forth with his guns without waiting for his supports and took an exposed position far in advance of the place designated by his commander, with the result that his men were shot down, eleven cannon were lost and the whole plan of operations was wrecked. Both Colenso and Spion kop were failures due to disregard of orders on the part of subordinates, and are to be compared, in a small way, with the failure of Lee's attack on the third day at Gettysburg by reason of the failure of one of his lieutenants to co operate promptly, as directed. The commander's strategy and the private's courage are alike futile if subordinate officers do not execute orders, but proceed to carry out ideas of their own.

The want of discipline betrayed in the actions at Colenso and Spion kop are by no means creditable to the British Army. The world cannot but see with amazement important battles lost and hundreds of lives sacrificed for want of the obedience that every officer owes to his superior.

South Africa has already been the grave of many reputations. In Natal Generals Symons, White, Buller and Warren have come under criticism for indiscreet attacks and virtual defeats. In Cape Colony Methuen failed signally at Magersfontein and Gatacre at Stormburg, while Kitchener is much blamed for his indiscreet attack and reverse at Paardeberg. Generals Roberts, French and Pole Carew are the only prominent British officers who can be said to have added to their reputations. As the tug of the war is yet to come, it is not without reason that the British commander-in-chief seeks to get rid of wooden headed subordinates.

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## Grand White Man's Rally.

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Our next Treasurer—Hon. Benj. R. Lacy, of Wake.

Our next Attorney-General—Hon. Robert D. Gilmer, of Haywood.

Our next Superintendent of Public Instruction—Gen. Thos. F. Toon, of Robeson.

Our next Auditor—Hon. B. F. Dixon, of Cleveland.

Our next Commissioner of Agriculture—Hon. S. L. Patterson, of Caldwell.

Our next Commissioner of Labor—Hon. H. B. Varner, of Davidson.

Our next Corporation Commissioners—Hon. Franklin McNeill, of New Hanover; Hon. Samuel H. Rogers, of Macon—

Will be with us and address the people of this section of the State at Fayetteville, on MONDAY, APRIL 30TH.

The men of Cumberland with their wives and daughters will all be there, and they cordially extend to their brethren of Richmond, Robeson, Scotland, Bladen, Sampson, Johnston, Harnett and Moore Counties, a pressing invitation to be with us and help to give our candidates such a greeting as befits the occasion.

Let us gather together such a mighty congregation of patriotic white men, animated with a single purpose, as will forever put beyond question any doubt of the fact, that this is a white man's country and that white men propose to govern it.

Let every man who can possibly do so come mounted.

Especial invitations will be sent to the mounted men of the adjoining counties.

The women of North Carolina are as much interested in this campaign as are the men, therefore bring your wives, daughters and sweethearts with you.

*Victory is in the air.* Let us make it so overwhelming and such an assured fact, that Radicalism and negro officeholding will be a thing of the past in our good old State.

Come one! come all! and hear the silver-tongued Aycock.

Precinct leaders in the counties above named are earnestly requested to give publicity to this occasion, and to notify Capt. Jas. D. McNeill, Fayetteville, of their probable attendance, so that proper arrangements may be made for them and their friends in the line.

You all recollect "Tillman Day," and its beneficent results in 1898.

Let us all join in and make this day the biggest, grandest and most glorious event in all of our political history.

Never before have we had the opportunity to *see* and *meet* all of our candidates.

Let us greet them with not less than one thousand mounted men and ten thousand voters.

Don't forget the date—Monday, April 30th—*all day.*

### Louisville Reunion Notes.

Every year increases the number of Confederate Veterans who meet at the Reunions. That to be held in Louisville, May 30th to June 3rd, will be the largest yet assembled and represent more Camps of United Confederate Veterans.

At the Fourth Reunion in Birmingham, Alabama, there were 470 camps. At the Fifth Reunion in Houston, Texas, there were 577 camps. At the Sixth Reunion in Richmond, Virginia, there were 815 camps. At the Seventh Reunion in Nashville, Tennessee, there were 875 camps. At the Eighth Reunion in Atlanta, Georgia, there were 1,130 camps. At the Ninth Reunion in Charleston, South Carolina, there were 1,180 camps. At the Tenth Reunion in Louisville there will be 1,400 camps. It is expected that there will be more Confederate soldiers pass in review on the great parade than will ever gather again in this world.

Many of the United Confederate Veteran Camps, latest in formation, are from the extreme West:

John H. Morgan Camp, No. 1198, San Diego, Cal.

Hi Bledsoe Camp, No. 1201, Santa Ana, Cal.

Beauregard Camp, No. 1205, Denver, Col.

Camp No. 1217, McGhee, Ind. Ter.

Geary Camp, No. 1230, Geary, Oklahoma.

Stonewall Jackson Camp, No. 1235, Hartshorne, Ind. Ter.

Confederate Veteran Camp, No. 1239, Weatherford, Oklahoma.

Upshur County Camp, No. 1240, Gilmer, Texas.

Col. Julian S. Carr, the millionaire tobacco manufacturer, of Durham, N. C., will bring a large delegation to the Confederate Reunion in Louisville, May 30—June 3. They will be attractively uniformed. Another famous North Carolina command will bring its famous legend, "First at Big Bethel; Farthest at Gettysburg, and Last at Appomattox."

Many of the Veterans while in Louisville will look up the place where Father Ryan, the poet-laureate of the Confederacy, died. It is the site now occupied by the splendid new church of St. Boniface on Green street near Jackson.

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### FRANCHISE.

*The Board of Aldermen of The City of Fayetteville do ordain:*

1st. That W. M. Morgan and R. P. Gray, hereinafter called grantees, their heirs, executors, administrators, associates and assigns, be permitted and empowered to erect, construct and operate a system of electric wires and poles, and they are hereby given the right and granted a franchise to so erect a system of electric wires and poles throughout the City of Fayetteville, upon such streets and in such places as said grantees may deem best, for the transmission and sale of electric power and lights, the placing of said poles to be under the supervision of the street committee of the City of Fayetteville.

2nd. That the said grantees are hereby authorized and empowered to deliver and sell, in any part of the City of Fayetteville, not inconsistent with public safety, electric power, for any and all purposes for which it may be used, electric lights to the corporation of the City of Fayetteville and to any person or corporation; Provided, however, the same shall be operated and maintained without creating any nuisance to the City of Fayetteville, or any of its citizens.

Said wires shall be safe guarded as is customary for wires used for the same purpose in cities of like size and importance as the City of Fayetteville.

3rd. The said grantees are authorized and empowered, and a franchise is hereby given unto them, to build and construct a system of electric railways upon its streets throughout the City of Fayetteville, except streets less than sixty feet from outside curb to outside curb, and such streets as are traversed by railroads. The said road, or roads, shall be so constructed as to not unduly interfere with the usual travel upon said streets, more than is customary in cities of similar size, nor endanger the life or property of the citizens of the said City of Fayetteville; Provided, however, that the said grantees in the transmission and sale of electric power and lights shall not be compelled to build and operate an electric road as hereinbefore provided for, unless they, in their good judgment, may see proper.

Nothing herein contained shall interfere with the trolley line proposed to be built by Dr. J. W. McNeill from Cumberland Mills by way of Hope Mills to the Cape Fear River, and in no event shall the said grantees be permitted to use any of the bridges or sidewalks of said City of Fayetteville.

4th. That the said grantees within twelve months shall begin the erection of poles and wires for the transmission and sale of electric power within the City of Fayetteville, and may from time to time thereafter increase the number of said poles and wires as the demand therefor may justify. The failure of said grantees to so begin work within twelve months, and sell power within two years, shall be construed as a forfeiture of this franchise, unless the same shall be extended by the Board of Aldermen of the City of Fayetteville.

5th. That during the construction and operation of said street railway, power and electric light plant, the said grantees shall defend and save the City harmless in and against any suit for damages therein resulting to any person or property by the acts, omission, or negligence of said grantees.

6th. That the said grantees shall at all times conform to such rules and regulations as may be made by the Board of Aldermen as to the obstruction of the streets, and rate of speed, and that the said City shall not require less than a minimum of ten miles per hour.

7th. That in addition to the ordinary tax said grantees shall pay a privilege tax of not more than $25 per annum, said tax to be due and payable on January 1st, after the commencement of the running of the cars on said road.

8th. Locomotive engines shall not be used as motive power at any time on the lines of said railway, without the consent of the Board of Aldermen. The track of said street railway shall be so constructed and laid down as not to obstruct or impede the free flow of water across the streets or down the gutters thereof, and in laying the same the said grantees shall conform to the grades of the several streets used by them, as the same are now or hereafter as may be established, and where changes of grade are necessary, permission shall be obtained to make the same; and in case of the change of grade of any street by the city after the said track is laid, the grantees, at their own expense, shall conform the portion of the street occupied by them to the new grade; the space between the track shall be kept level with the top of the rails, and shall be kept in good order and condition by repairing, paving and repaving, wherever and whenever necessary at the cost and expense of said grantees; so that the portion of the streets occupied by the tracks may be safe and convenient for travelers with their teams, carts and carriages at all times; and the said work in every respect shall be under the supervision of the street committee, and a failure to operate said street railway for more than one year shall work a forfeiture as to the franchises of said street railway, and the grantees shall have a right within sixty days to remove all obstructions, etc.

9th. The fare on said cars for passengers shall not exceed five cents for each passenger each way, the payment of which shall entitle such passenger to one transfer to another line of cars, when the cars come in contact, but only for one continuous trip within the limits of the City. Children under four, when accompanied by paying passengers, shall be transported free of charge, and they shall charge not over five cents per hundred pounds, or less, for the carriage of freight of the lowest class in the limits of said city, other freight to be carried in the same proportion according to the classification.

10th. The said grantees shall have the right, power and franchise to build, erect and operate within the limits of the City of Fayetteville, at any place not inconsistent with public safety and health, and subject to the supervision of the Street Committee of the City of Fayetteville, all such stations, power-houses, switches and relay stations as may be necessary to the diffusion of power and the maintenance of said electric lights, power and street railway systems.

11th. This franchise shall be in full force and effect for thirty years from the ratification hereof and subject to the terms heretofore expressed.

Ratified this April 9th, 1900.

W. S. COOK, Mayor.

L. B. HALE, Clerk.

Approved:

[Seal] R. MCMILLAN,
Chm'n pro tem B. of A. & Finance.

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### CONTRACT.

This Contract, made and entered into this the Ninth day of April, 1900, by and between The City of Fayetteville, a municipal corporation existing under and by virtue of the laws of the State of North Carolina, party of the first part, and W. M. Morgan, of the County of Cumberland, and R. P. P. Gray, of the County of Guilford, parties of the second part, WITNESSETH:

That, whereas the party of the first part desires to light the streets of Fayetteville by electric arc lights; and, whereas the parties of the second part, for themselves, their heirs, associates and assigns, have contracted to furnish the same, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter named;

NOW THEREFORE, for and in consideration of the sum of Fifty Dollars per annum, per light, to be paid by the party of the first part quarterly, the said party of the first part has contracted, and does hereby contract, to take and pay for thirty arc lights, the same to be located not exceeding six hundred feet one light from the other, to be used in lighting the streets of The City of Fayetteville for a period of fifteen years.

The said lights are to be kept in good condition and are to be lighted at dusk and kept constantly burning until day: Provided the parties of the second part shall not be required to keep in operation the said lights during such nights, or parts of nights, as the moon shall be shining brightly; Provided, further, that the said parties of the second part shall not be held responsible, and no deduction shall be made against them, for loss of light during such times as they are providentially hindered from keeping the same burning, or are debarred from so doing by any breaks in lines, damage to water plant or electric plant, or any other unavoidable cause, provided that any stoppage of lights for over five days continuously shall forfeit the rent for such time.

Parties of the second part shall, however, keep the lines as far as possible in good order, and keep their lamps supplied with sufficient carbon, and shall use all due diligence to avoid breakdowns, and repair the same as soon as possible.

It is further agreed and contracted that in case the City of Fayetteville shall require other than thirty lights, the same shall be paid for at such prices as may be hereafter agreed to between said parties, the same not to exceed $50 per arc light per annum.

It is understood and agreed that, in case additional lights shall be required, the parties of the second part shall not be required to place any light at a greater distance than six hundred feet to the nearest light, and in estimating lights now and hereafter, a light shall be based on the estimate and paid for at 600 feet distance, one from the other; Provided that the estimate shall be used only when the lights are more than 600 feet apart.

The poles and wires to be used for such electric lights are to be the same height and character of wire, and candle power of said lights to be the same, and the arrangement of such lights shall be according to such method as is most commonly used in cities of like size and population as The City of Fayetteville, the candle power of said lights not to be less than 1600.

This contract shall become void and of no binding effect unless parties of the second part shall furnish said lights nine months from date hereof.

In the event of the assignment of this contract by the parties of the second part to another person or corporation, the liabilities of the parties of the second part under this contract shall cease. Should the parties of the second part fail to furnish the lights herein contracted for within nine months, time may be extended by the Board of Aldermen to said parties of the second part to furnish said lights, upon good and sufficient cause being shown to the said Board of Aldermen.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF the said party of the first part, the same having been ratified by the Board of Aldermen and approved by the Board of Audit and Finance, in regular meetings assembled, has caused this contract to be signed by the Mayor, attested by its Clerk, approved by the Chairman of the Board of Audit and Finance and its corporate seal to be hereto attached, and the said parties of the second part have hereunto set their hands and seals on this the 9th day of April, 1900.

W. S. COOK, Mayor.

Attest: L. B. HALE, Clerk.

Approved in meeting
R. MCMILLAN, *pro tem.*
Ch'n of Board of Audit and Finance.

W. M. MORGAN, [seal].
R. P. GRAY, [seal.]

Witness: H. MCD. ROBINSON.

### RESOLUTION.

The Board of Aldermen of the city of Fayetteville do ordain that the contract of this date, between the city of Fayetteville, as party of the first part, and W. M. Morgan and R. P. Gray, as parties of the second part, be, and the same is hereby made the contract of the city of Fayetteville, and is ratified as such, and that the same be signed in behalf of the city by the Mayor, attested by the Clerk, the corporate seal attached, and that the approval of the Board of Audit and Finance be expressed by the Chairman of that Board; and after being so signed by the city authorities, and by the said Morgan and Gray, the same shall be recorded by the Clerk of this Board in the minutes of this meeting, the said contract to bear this date.

Ratified this the Ninth day of April, 1900.

W. S. COOK, Mayor.

L. B. HALE, Clerk.

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### The Populist Convention.

The Populist State convention Wednesday nominated the following ticket:

Governor, Cyrus Thompson, of Onslow county.

Lieutenant-Governor, A. C. Shuford, of Catawba county.

Secretary of State, J. B. Schulken, of Columbus.

Treasurer, W H Worth, of Guilford.

Auditor, H. W. Ayer, of Wake.

Attorney-General, H. F. Seawell, of Moore.

State Superintendent of Education, N. C. English, of Randolph.

Chairman Corporation Commission, A. S. Peace, of Granville.

Corporation Commission, J. T. Paschal, of Chatham.

Commissioner of Agriculture, J. M. Mewborne, of Lenoir.

Commissioner of Labor, J. Y. Hamrick, of Cleveland.

Judge Tenth district, L. L. Witherspoon, of Catawba.

Electors at large, R. B. Davis, of New Hanover, and Wm. M. Merritt, of Person.

Dunk Dowing and C. C. McClellan were two Cumberland Populists honored by the convention, the former being placed on the permanent organization committee, and the latter made a district delegate to the National Populist convention.

H. F. Seawell, who was the fusion solicitor, was nominated for Attorney-General.

Delegates to the National convention, which meets at Sioux Falls in May, were chosen and instructed to vote for William J. Bryan.

The following were chosen delegates at large:

Captian J. H. Sherrill, of Catawba; J. A. Lawrence, of Iredell; W. J. Leary, Jr., of Chowan; J. B. Seavy, of Sampson; Z. T. Garrett, of Vance; H. M. Willborne, of Ashe; J. B. Lloyd, of Edgecombe; J. J. Jenkins, of Chatham; Marion Butler, of Sampson; Dr. Cyrus Thompson, of Onslow; B. F. Keith, of New Hanover; John E. Fowler, of Sampson; W. H. Worth of Wake.

NOTES ON THE CONVENTION.

The Raleigh Post says:

A new State Executive Committee was chosen with Senator Butler at its head.

Congressman Southerland of Nebraska addressed the convention in an able speech, the worst feature of which was an eulogy of Butler. He steered clear of the amendment and all local matters, and paid Col. William J. Bryan a high tribute.

Senators Allen and Pettigrew did not come, Senator Allen being sick in Washington and Senator Pettigrew being called to New York on business.

The convention was not largely attended. There were something like 250 delegates present.

H. F. Seawell, the temporary chairman, was made permanent chairman.

Senator Butler's course in the Senate was endorsed and the support of the Populist party pledged to him for his re-election as United States Senator.

### Graded School Report.

*To the Board of Trustees, Fayetteville Graded School:*

GENTLEMEN:—I beg leave to submit for consideration by you the following report of Fayetteville Graded School for the seventh month:

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| No. boys enrolled during month, | 124 |
| Number girls enrolled " " | 126 |
| Total enrollment " " | 250 |
| Average daily attendance...... | 188 |
| Per cent. of attendance.......... | 84 |

ROLL OF HONOR.

*Girls*—Sadie Hall, Annie Highsmith, Sallie Newberry, Rena McLauren, Lena Amos, Emmie Black, Ellen Hall, Frankie Murray, Henrietta Evans, Florence Tomlins, Isabel Bidgood, Edna Duncan, Irene Humphrey, Barbary Humphrey, Alma Nolley, Bessie Smith, Charlotte McDuffie, Josie Poe, Mary Black, Janie Black, Ellen Brandt, Nora McDuffie, Jean Pemberton, Lida White, Mary McNeill, Charlotte Holland.

*Boys*—Esker Amos, Isaac Murray, Raymond Maultsby, Robert Hall, Earle Stewart, Charlie Benton, Iver Robeson, H. L. Cook, Albert Prior, Wallace Prior, Willie Adams, George Myrover, Frank Evans, James Tatum, Harold Sedberry, John Hall, Marion Huske, Eugene Johnson, Clyde Lockamy, Geo. Johnson, Eugene Morgan, Willie Campbell, Henry Smith, Thomas Rankin, Emmett Nolley, James Maultsby.

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### Too Many Candidates for the Hens.

Wilson News.

The editor of the Jonesboro Progress should be arrested for his proposed cruelty to animals. He is getting ready to overwork all the hens in his reach, for he says:

"We see that there has been found in the eastern part of the State, the customary egg with the initials of the candidates on it. This time it is Bryan. For $1 a piece we will furnish one to every candidate in the State, with his name spelled out in full, and for fifty cents extra will include the office they want."

### Shot While Attempting Robbery.

Last Thursday at 1:30 o'clock special night watchman Mr. Geo. Shepherd shot and captured a well-known young colored man named Ed. Adams while in the act of breaking into Mr. A. Garrason's store on Hay street. About 8 o'clock Chief of Police Flowers arrested Eugene Roberson, another young colored man, on the charge of being an accomplice.

Mr. Shepherd, while on his rounds early that morning, heard a noise in the rear of Garrason's store, and on approaching to investigate, was met with a shower of brickbats, none of which, fortunately, struck him. He shouted to his assailants repeatedly to surrender or he would shoot. Instead of obeying, one of them attempted to run by him, but was stopped short with a bullet in his thigh. Mr. Shepherd then blew his whistle, and Policemen Benton and Woodall were soon on the scene. They carried the wounded man to police headquarters and physicians were summoned. They found the left thigh broken in two places, one where the bullet entered just above the knee, and the other at least twelve inches higher up, but where there was no indication of a fracture. The bullet could not be located, and how it ranged upward is a mystery.

It was through Adams's confession that Roberson was arrested. Both men were given a preliminary hearing before Mayor Cook Friday morning and bound over to court.

When interrupted the negroes were at work on the back door with a long piece of iron pipe and had almost succeeded in prizing it open. Mr. Shepherd fired two shots, one of which took effect, as above stated, and the other grazed the fore-finger of the right hand. Adams was a corporal in the 2nd North Carolina colored Regiment during the war with Spain.

### The University Catalogue.

The Catalogue of the University of North Carolina for the academic year 1899-1900 has just appeared. It is a well printed and attractive book of 123 pages from the University Press of Chapel Hill. The entire work, typesetting, printing, and binding, was done by the students of the University. The following facts from the annual register are of special interest:

The total registration for the year is 512, the largest enrollment in the history of the institution. This total is distributed among the departments as follows: Graduate School, 26; College for Undergraduates, 345; Law School, 80; Medical School, 44; School of Pharmacy, 20. The enrollment in the last Summer School was 161, making a grand total for the year of 658, exclusive of all duplicates.

Of the 512 students at the regular session, 483 are from North Carolina, representing 82 counties. Thirteen other states are represented by 29 students.

The Faculty of the present year consists of 20 Professors, 7 Instructors and 8 Assistants offering, in the College and Graduate Schools, a total of 110 courses, and in the Schools of Law, Medicine and Pharmacy, 32. The Faculty of the Summer School numbered 20, offering a wide range of courses to the teachers of the state.

Attention is also called by the Catalogue to the increase of the University equipment by the erection of two new buildings, the Carr Hall for dormitories and the Alumni Hall for recitation rooms and executive offices.

The Catalogue went to press too early for an announcement of the new arrangement of the College year and of the plan for the continuous session through the summer. This will appear in a separate circular.

### The State Ticket.

Windsor Ledger.

We give below our State ticket, showing the profession, religion and location of each candidate:

Governor—Charles B. Aycock—2nd District, Goldsboro, Lawyer; Baptist.

Lieutenant Governor—William Turner, 8th District; Statesville; Lawyer; Methodist.

Secretary of State—J. Bryan Grimes; 1st District; Grimesland; Farmer; Episcopalian.

Treasurer—Benjamin R. Lacy; 4th District; Raleigh; Locomotive Engineer; Presbyterian.

Auditor—B. F. Dixon; 8th District; Shelby; Doctor; Methodist.

Attorney General—Robert D. Gilmer; 9th District; Waynesville; Lawyer; Presbyterian.

Superintendent of Public Instruction—Thomas F. Toon; School Teacher and Farmer; Baptist; Robeson county.

Corporation Commissioners—Franklin NcNeill; 6th District; Wilmington; Lawyer; Presbyterian; Samuel Rogers; 9th District; Franklin, Merchant; Methodist.

Commissioner of Agriculture—Samuel L. Patterson; 8th District; Caldwell county; Farmer; Episcopalian.

Commissioner of Labor and Printing—H. B. Varner; 7th District; Lexington; Editor and Printer; Presbyterian.

The ticket is well diversified in talent, location and callings in life. It is strong in brains and character. It will win. It will give North Carolina decent government. It will be a credit to the State. It stands for principles, and good morals both public and private. Hurrah for it. Vote for it.

Rev. W. E. Sitzer, W. Caton, N. Y., writes, "I had dyspepsia over twenty years, and tried doctors and medicines without benefit. I was persuaded to use Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and it helped me from the start, I believe it to be a panacea for all forms of indigestion." It digests what you eat. King Bros.

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## DEMOCRATIC RATIFICATION MEETING.

**FAYETTEVILLE MONDAY, APRIL 30TH, 1900**

**Mounted Procession. Old Time Vance Welcome.**

The Democratic candidates for State offices—Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Treasurer, Auditor, Attorney General, Commissioner of Agriculture, Commissioner of Labor and Printing, two Corporation Commissioners—will address the people of this section of North Carolina at Fayetteville Monday, April 30th, and the people of Cumberland, Robeson, Scotland, Richmond, Bladen, Sampson, Harnett and Moore, and other counties are invited and expected to join in extending to those representatives of the White Womanhood and Manhood of North Carolina an old-time Highland welcome such as we used to give the lamented Vance in the days of yore.

A mounted escort will attend the candidates to the grounds, and it is likely that many a "red shirt" will be seen among the crowd as it will tend to emphasize where you stand on the burning question of White Supremacy.

The ladies are cordially invited to come out and hear these advocates of all that is noble and good in our civilization, as special provision will be made for them.

The men should come prepared to join the mounted procession, but come anyway and give one day to the white women and men of North Carolina, and let's declare to the world thus early in the campaign how this section shall go.

H. L. COOK,
Ch'n Dem. Ex. Com.

E. R. MCKETHAN, Sec'y.

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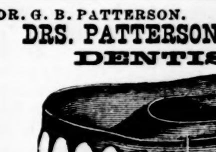

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## WILLIAM J. BRYAN.

### Upland Rice.

We have several times called attention to the practical demonstration of the profitableness of upland rice culture which several of our Cumberland farmers have made. Professor Gerald McCarthy, Botanist of the Agricultural Department, sends us some notes on this subject which we commend to all concerned, as follows:

Every farmer living east of Hillsboro or Charlotte who has any naturally moist land, should plant a little rice upland this year. Recent reports from Alabama claim a yield of 70 bushels of rough rice per acre and two tons of straw. The present market price for upland rice, in chaff, is 65 cents per bushel. The crop is as salable as cotton. The United States imports more than half the rice it consumes, although there is a duty of 2 cents per pound. The straw, when well cured, is nearly as good as baled timothy for horses and mules.

Rice with shells removed, but not polished, is a strong food and far more wholesome than corn meal for inhabitants of a warm climate. As a fattening food for fowls and pigs, rice has no equal. There are now on the market several excellent hand and power machines for removing the shell or husk from rice. These cost from $50 to $200. The larger sizes are suitable for grist mills, the smaller for farm use.

For uplands the White Carolina seed is best. It should be soaked 24 hours before planting and then be dropped in freshly made drills 20 inches apart and covered 2 inches deep. Cultivate with a shallow scrape. One hand weeding will be necessary. The crop must be kept as clean as cotton. Cut the crop as soon as the seed is in the tough dough stage. Tie in bundles and shock as wheat. Thresh from shock as soon as the straw is completely cured. The grain should be aired once in the sunshine before being put in bins to prevent heating.

One bushel of rough rice or paddy will sow one acre. The seed will cost about $1 per bushel. It can be bought of any commission merchant in Wilmington, N. C. The Worth Company is reliable.

In the neighborhood of Raleigh rice seed should be sown between May 1st and May 15th. The crop should be fertilized with stable manure or cotton seed meal and kainit.

Those farmers who are hustling to get in a big cotton crop this year will do well to put in a patch of rice in order that there may be something to eat while waiting for the price of cotton to go up to cost of production.

### CURRENT COMMENT.

The Durham Recorder has issued an unusually fine twenty-eight page illustrated industrial edition, giving much interesting information as to the progress and industries of that city, with pictures and biographic sketches of its leading men, and cuts of public and business houses, and private residences. It is beautifully printed on fine paper, and is one of the handsomest editions of the kind which we have seen.

### JESSUP SAYINGS.

JESSUP, N. C., April 21, 1900.

Misses Annie and Margie Harrington are visiting Miss Mattie Wadsworth.

We regret to learn of the illness of Mr. Elias Kelly.

Mrs. S. H. Hargett left Friday to visit friends and relatives at Charlotte.

Mr. W. A. Wadsworth has gone to Villanow on business.

Mrs. Aaron Damdson spent Thursday visiting Miss Flora J. Wadsworth.

Mr. B. R. Tyson is manager for the anti-amendment gang in this section, and is distributing quite a number of the Caucasian. The writer was favored with two copies of the above-named paper from Mr. Tyson's office and after they had been perused, and a paragraph on page 2, column 1, marked, where the Caucasian asserts that Senator Stewart "was instrumental in having left out of that fifteenth amendment the provision guaranteeing that negroes should hold office," and appropriately marked a place at a paragraph on page 3, column 2, where the Senator is quoted as saying: "I wanted to insert the right to hold office in this proposition." We then returned the paper to Mr. Tyson, asking an explanation of the Caucasian's assertion, and Senator Stewart's position, on that negro office holding question, but at this writing we have received no reply.

We regret to learn of the serious illness of Mr. Edgar M. Underwood.

It was with sorrow that the many friends of Rev. Jesse L. Wicker learned of his death which occurred at his home in Durham on last Sunday. Rev. Mr. Wicker was a native of Moore county, and one of her brightest and most promising sons. Less than thirty years ago, when a mere boy, he began his career as a turpentine laborer, but by dint of application and unceasing toil, he raised himself from this humble walk of life to be one of the leading ministers of his church.

The smallpox scare has about subsided, though danger is not yet passed. So far no death has occurred and only one new case developed.

Miss F. T. Tyson, of Quiet, is visiting Miss Fannie Underwood.

Mr. Robert Cole spent Saturday visiting Mr. C. G. Wadsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Lewis are visiting Mr. J. M. Wadsworth.

Work on the silk mill at Parkwood has just begun and contractors are making efforts to employ one hundred more laborers.

The greatest satisfaction is expressed at the nominations made at the Democratic State Convention last week. So far we have not heard a single charge against any one of the candidates—this is remarkable when we remember that many of the fusionists of this section are experts at handling personal charges.

The democrats are clamorous for Aycock to speak at least at one point in Moore county. DONTON.

### WASHINGTON LETTER.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

Washington, D. C., April 23, 1900.

Another ugly scandal has cropped up under the rule of the War Department, which cannot fail to add to the wave of public sentiment, daily becoming higher and stronger that will sweep the republican party, with its record of scandals, out of power. This particular scandal was uncovered quite by accident and its existence was not denied by Secretary Root, who is responsible for its continuance, although it was originated by Alger. It is, to speak plainly, the robbery of the Cubans, for the benefit of officers of the U. S. army. Hints of extravagant living by American officers in Cuba, and of large sums paid for their expenses, have been frequent, but it was not until within the last forty-eight hours that it became positively known that officers in the U. S. army were, in direct violation of law, drawing two salaries, one from the U. S. and one from the Cuban revenues. The ground upon which Secretary Root justifies this robbery is worthy of a shyster lawyer but not a member of the U. S. Cabinet. That the money drawn from the Cuban revenues by these officers, is not a salary from the U. S., and consequently their receiving it is not a violation of the law prohibiting two salaries. Mr. Root goes even further than that. He says this robbery was carefully considered and endorsed by Mr. McKinley and his entire Cabinet before it was started, and that he intends to increase the number of officers who are allowed to participate therein. But he won't unless prominent republican Senators who have expressed surprise and regret at the scandal, change their minds. The Senate has adopted a resolution, calling for the facts.

Experience doesn't always teach. Notwithstanding, the awful experience of our soldiers in the war with Spain, thousands of whom were made sick and unfit for duty, by eating the so-called canned roast beef, the War Department has ordered a big lot of the stuff sent to the Philippines for the use of our soldiers over there. Gen. Miles is as much opposed to this meat as he was during the war with Spain, and the War Department acted without consulting him.

Representative Livingston, one of the most level headed democrats in the House, says the republican leaders have determined to jam the ship subsidy job through at this session of Congress. Speaking of this deal, Mr. Livingston said: "I know that a conference of republican leaders was held, at which it was determined to push the ship bounty scheme at all hazards. I also know that the next day, Pacific Mail, which may fairly be considered the barometer of the scheme, shot up nearly four points on the New York stock exchange. The man who can't plainly discern a chain of cause and effect in this, is indeed blind. Obviously, somebody who attended that Conference communicated to the men who control the market for Pacific Mail securities, the news that the Ship Subsidy bill would be brought forward and rushed through at this session, under the party lash. It would not surprise me if a special rule for its consideration and passage should be prescribed by the Speaker's Committee. Such a rule, it may be confidently expected, will limit debate almost to the vanishing point. Indeed, it may be that all debate will be cut off on the bill in the House. I believe they are waiting for a time when an unusual number of democrats are absent from the House, to force the bill forward for a needed consideration. The republicans are bound to get this bill through. I am informed that a large part of their campaign fund depends upon its passage. Therefore, it behooves us democrats to keep our eyes peeled for the ship-subsidy scheme. Every mother's son of us ought to stay right here in Washington until the session closes and keep a sharp lookout for the Hanna-Payne bill."

It was an Ohio man—John Sherman—who originated the phrase which has become so widely used: "I'm going home to look after my fences." Mr. McKinley, who is in Ohio, this week, said before leaving Washington, that he was going to "look after repairs to my house", which is a slight deviation from Sherman's words, but means the same thing to the initiated. It was not a mere coincidence that the repairs upon Mr. McKinley's house, at Canton, should require his personal attention during the same week in which the Republican State Convention will be held at Columbus.

Senator Wellington has formally left the Hanna-McKinley party, and made this announcement: "I was opposed to the permanent acquisition of the Philippines, and to the 15 per cent. duty on Porto Rican imports to the United States. This being my position, I do not intend to support a platform that is against my convictions in such important particulars. I do not intend to remain a member of the republican National Committee, nor to attend the National Convention." There are numerous prominent republicans in both branches of Congress who believe just as Senator Wellington does, but whether any of them will show that they have the courage of their convictions by following his example remains to be seen.

### Mr. H. L. Cook for Elector.

The Democrats of Cumberland do not forget, and they ask the Democrats of the rest of the Third Congressional District to bear in mind, that Henry L. Cook, Esq., the present able and very efficient chairman of the Democratic Executive Committee of this county, was unanimously endorsed by the Democratic county convention for the responsible and highly honorable position of Presidential Elector for this district. They will present his name to the Congressional convention, and they venture to express the hope that his eminent fitness for the place will secure his election by acclamation.

Mr. Cook was county chairman in 1890, and again in 1892 until nominated to represent Cumberland in the House of Representatives of 1893. In the Legislature of 1893, he served with great credit to himself on important committees, and rendered good service to his county, to the District and to the State. He was a member of the State executive committee from 1896 to 1898. His present position of county chairman, in which he is exhibiting so much vigor and executive capacity, came to him entirely unsought, the county leaders, with one accord, designating him as the man for the great work before us. He was the nominee of the County for Solicitor in 1894 and for Judge in 1898, and received a flattering vote therefor, in the District conventions, on both occasions.

Mr. Cook is an able lawyer, a speaker of unusual powers, aggressive, forceful and fluent; and he is thoroughly posted in the politics of the day.

## RALEIGH LETTER.

**Political and General News and Gossip from the State Capital.**

Populist State Convention—It Was Without Enthusiasm or Life and Slimly Attended—The Ticket Named a Cut-and-Dried Affair---Republican Convention May 2--Good News From All Over the State--Numerous Items of Interesting News—Minor Mention, Etc.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

RALEIGH, N. C., April 23.—The State convention of the Populist party, which assembled in this city last Wednesday, was in marked contrast to that which packed to overflowing the same hall a week previously.

Not only was the contrast remarkable in point of numbers, but the utter absence of enthusiasm and the forlorn and hopeless expression of countenance worn by the delegates furnished material for even more conspicuous comparison.

Neither Senator Allen nor Senator Pettigrew was present, however, after all the ante convention heralding they had received through the Populist papers and politicians.

It is very evident that the Populists, as a party, are but a shadow of what it once was, but it was clearly demonstrated that fully 90 per cent of them left in the organization are Butlerites. The delegates on this occasion fell down and worshiped him on every available occasion.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION NEXT WEEK.

Senator Pritchard, "Jedge" Linney (now classically termed the "Bull of the Brushies"), and George White (the foul-mouth negro misfit of the second district), will come down from Washington next week and "hold a convention" of some sort, commencing on Wednesday, May 2.

CAN THEY KEEP THE "NIGGER" IN THE BACKGROUND.

It is no secret that Pritchard, Holton and the other Republican managers are very anxious to keep the negro in the background—out of sight as much as possible at the convention next week.

But can they?

Will such "obstreperous" negroes as George White, Jim Young and others forego the customary delights of a Republican State convention? It's doubtful, to say the least.

NUMEROUS NEWS NOTES.

The Ecumenical conference of the Methodist Episcopal church is in session at New York this week.

Standing Master J. E. Shepherd of the United States court goes to Wilmington to-morrow, where he will resume the hearing in the railroad tax assessment case. He expects to receive there the decision of Judge Simonton anent the examination of the books of corporations other than those of railroads.

It is reported here to day that Solicitor Ed. W. Pou, of Johnston county, will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Congress in the (Raleigh) district to succeed Atwater, Populist Democrat. Mr. Pou made the hopeless canvass for this office four years ago.

Visitors from eastern counties say tobacco acreage is being considerably curtailed, but that the acreage of cotton is being largely increased.

The friends of Maj. E. J. Hale are congratulating him on the magnificent vote (764) he received in the Democratic State convention for delegate at-large to the National convention, his name leading all the rest. And it was a deserved compliment; which also gives him primacy with the delegation.

Claude Kitchen, brother of Congressman W. W. Kitchen, of Halifax, Donnell Gilliam, of Edgecombe, Thomas W. Mason, of Northampton, and probably two or three other able and worthy gentlemen, are being pressed by their friends for the congressional nomination in the second district—to succeed the negro White.

The fish-game-and-oyster fair at Newbern last week was a great success, as usual. The fair was formally opened by Col. John S. Cuningham, of Person, who delivered a most appropriate and interesting address and was afterwards royally entertained by the citizens of Newbern.

The tour of the Democratic State candidates has been a triumphal one during the past week, and will continue for nearly two weeks yet. Reports received here from all sections of the State are very encouraging and gratifying to Chairman Simmons and all Democrats. The west especially seems to be waking up in great shape.

Three new Carolina cotton mill companies have been chartered within the last week—the "Dunlap" of Causey, Chatham county, N. C.; the "Buffalo" of Union, S. C., and the "Middleburg" of Batesburg, S. C.

I was told to-day that the new President of the Baptist Female University, to succeed Prof. Blasingame, late of Alabama, will be a North Carolinian. Good!

The cotton manufacturers have arranged to give a grand banquet the night following the meeting of the Southern Cotton Spinners' Association at Charlotte, May 10th.

The Teachers' Assembly begins its meetings this year at Moorehead June 12th, and an interesting programme has been arranged.

The State Grand Lodge of Knights of Pythias is in session at Durham this week.

In Louisburg last Friday a woman who had just been granted a divorce married one of the jurymen sitting on the case within an hour after the verdict.

The State candidates will be at the following places during the remainder of this week: Marion on Wednesday, at Shelby, Thursday, at Charlotte, Saturday, 28th. The remainder of the itinerary is as follows: Monday, April 30th, at Fayetteville; Tuesday, May 1, Rocky Mount; Wednesday, at Wilmington; Friday, at Newberne; Saturday, at Elizabeth City. The joint tour closes at Washington, Beaufort, County, Tuesday, May 8.

At the Department of Agriculture here it is stated that nearly 200,000 tons of Fertilizers have been sold in North Carolina, this year so far, and 250,000 tons will be sold altogether. This is 100,000 tons more than were sold in 1893, and is said to indicate that more cotton and less tobacco will be grown this year. LLEWXAM.


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### An Appeal to the Democracy.

We earnestly commend to the attention of our readers the following appeal issued by Chairman Simmons:

RALEIGH, N. C., April 20, 1900.

*To the Democrats of North Carolina:*

We are engaged in a campaign of education. We want every white man in North Carolina to understand the amendment. We want no white man in North Carolina to be misled by the miserable falsehoods and misrepresentations that our enemies are circulating with reference to this measure. It is certain that, if the white people of the State do understand the amendment, its effect upon the State and the individual citizen, they will give it such a majority as no measure submitted to the people has ever before received in the history of the State, and will give the ticket representing this measure the most decisive majority of recent years.

To print and distribute literature and to circulate papers and to defray other necessary expenses of such a campaign as we are now engaged in is expensive and requires ready money. Your committee is practically without funds. Indeed, for the last three weeks it has been borrowing money to meet current expenses.

The committee takes this method of appealing to the Democrats and all the friends of good government and white supremacy in the State for contributions to pay the legitimate and necessary expenses of the campaign. We feel sure this appeal will not be in vain.

Contributions can be sent directly to the chairman of the committee at Raleigh and will be duly acknowledged.

Yours truly,

F. M. SIMMONS,
Chairman.

### Popular Vote for Senators.

The text of the proposed Amendment to the Constitution, which passed the House by 240 to 15 on the 13th instant, and which is now before the Senate, is as follows:

"The Senate of the United States shall be composed of two Senators from each State, who shall be elected by a direct vote of the people thereof for a term of six years, and each Senator shall have one vote. A plurality of the votes cast for candidates for Senator shall be sufficient to elect. The electors in each State shall have the qualifications requisite for electors of the most numerous branch of the State Legislatures, respectively.

"When a vacancy happens by death, resignation, or otherwise, in the representation of any State in the Senate, the same shall be filled for the unexpired term thereof in the same manner as is provided for the election of Senators in paragraph one: Provided, that the executive thereof may make temporary appointment until the next general or special election, in accordance with the statutes or constitution of such State."


In almost every neighborhood there is some one whose life has been saved by Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy, or who has been cured of chronic diarrhœa by the use of that medicine. Such persons make a point of telling of it whenever opportunity offers, hoping that it may be the means of saving other lives. For sale by B. E. Sedberry & Sons.


White Supremacy Club—How the Candidates Will Be Received.

An adjourned meeting of the Club was held Tuesday night to hear from the several committees now at work and to arrange for a large and enthusiastic meeting to perfect arrangements for the reception of the candidates on the 30th. All of the committees reported progress, and on Friday night, when a final report is to be made, the good and vigorous work that is now going on will be shown. Reduced rates of a fare and a third have been secured from the railroads, ten thousand posters and other notices have been gotten out, a fine cypress pole of about 80 feet lies near Market Square with workmen busily engaged getting it in shape, while a lusty white game cock, lately sent by express to Mr. W. C. Troy, is loudly proclaiming that "victory is in the air." The old cannon is also being burnished up, and from the hill top will announce the advent of the 30th in proper shape. And, best of all, it is reported that the ladies of the County, who, by the way, are always right, are thoroughly aroused. Many are now making precinct flags and expect to be with us, along with fathers, husbands, brothers and sweethearts,---and royally will we welcome them.

On motion, after hearing from the committees, the meeting adjourned to meet again Friday night after the city ratification meeting. This meeting will be a large and enthusiastic one, as a number of short and ringing speeches will be provided for the occasion. Friday night let everybody come.

### These Robesonians are Fine Shots.

The following is the score made by the Lumber Bridge Light Infantry at the annual spring target practice Saturday, April 21st:

| | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Capt. J. D. Cobb, | 5 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | —21 |
| Lieut. R. A. McEachern, | 3 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 | —14 |
| Sergt. J. E. Clifton, | 5 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 3 | —19 |
| " J. T. McMillan, | 4 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 4 | —17 |
| " J. J. Cashwell, | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | —20 |
| " J. B. Malloy, | 4 | 5 | 3 | 4 | 4 | —20 |
| " N. L. Graham, | 4 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 3 | —17 |
| Corpl. A. H. McKenzie, | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 5 | —21 |
| " J. McJohnson, | 3 | 4 | 2 | 4 | 3 | —16 |
| " J. G. Ray, | 4 | 0 | 4 | 4 | 4 | —16 |
| Priv. J. R. Chason, | 4 | 4 | 3 | 5 | 4 | —20 |
| " J. B. Coppage, | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 3 | —19 |
| " J. D. Jackson, | 4 | 4 | 5 | 4 | 4 | —21 |
| " John Owens, | 3 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | —19 |
| " A. F. Council, | 4 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 4 | —19 |
| " K. K. Bledsoe, | 2 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 4 | —17 |
| " J. H. Jackson, | 4 | 4 | 5 | 5 | 4 | —22 |
| " S. Barlow, | 4 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 4 | —19 |
| " M. B. McBryde, | 2 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 3 | —13 |
| " T. F. Graham, | 4 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 4 | —19 |
| " D. R. Graham, | 4 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 3 | —17 |
| " Jim Hall, | 2 | 4 | 4 | 0 | 2 | —12 |
| " M. Tolar, | 3 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 0 | —10 |
| " E. G. Canady, | 4 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 3 | —15 |
| " M. Furmage, | 4 | 3 | 3 | 4 | 4 | —18 |
| " J. H. McKenzie, | 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 4 | —14 |
| " D. C. Currie, | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 | —20 |

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The Company was divided into five teams. The winners of prizes were as follows:

First Team—Capt. J. D. Cobb.
Second Team—Priv. J. H. Jackson.
Third Team—Corp. A. H. McKenzie.
Fourth Team—Priv. T. F. Graham.
Fifth Team—Priv. D. C. Currie.

The L. B. L. I. have accepted an invitation to go to Charlotte, May 22nd, to the one hundred and twenty-fifth anniversary of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence.

### Killed and Robbed.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Wilkesbarre, Pa., April 24.—Andrew Stubbs was killed and robbed on the bridge over the river at Pittston last night. His body was found this morning with two bullet wounds in the head and the pockets inside out. There is no clew to the murderers.

### The Louisville Reunion.

CIRCULAR LETTER NO. 120.

New Orleans, La., April 9.

My Dear Comrades:

The delay in answering your letters, communications, and attending to your requests and orders has been occasioned by my absence at Louisville for nearly a week.

I went there at the invitation of the Reunion Committee to inspect their work, and advise with them. I found them a splendid body of Confederate Veterans, patriotic to the core, enthusiastic and painstaking even to the smallest details, and thoroughly imbued with the idea that they intend to make this tenth reunion the greatest of all. They are leaving nothing undone to make your visit to Louisville pleasant, agreeable, comfortable and noteworthy, and they are determined that when you leave there that you shall carry to your homes nothing but good impressions and happy memories of your visit to the "Falls City."

The reunion hall which they have built especially as your meeting place is very large, commodious and beautiful, and will seat fully 10,000.

Those who are unable to pay while there will be taken care of gratis by the committee; those who are able to pay can secure board at many of the hotels, and at plenty of private houses, and boarding houses at from $1.00 per day up.

Railroad rates have been reduced, but we hope for a still further reduction. A fine band will be placed at each division headquarters to remain subject to the orders of the division commander in the parade and during the entire time of the reunion.

As has been customary at all of our reunions the parade will consist only of veterans, the sponsors, Sons of Veterans, Daughters of the Confederacy, distinguished Confederate guests, military escorts accompanying veterans and the reunion officials.

The department and division headquarters are all close to the reunion hall, and within a radius of three blocks of each other.

Make your arrangements to go, and take your families, and every one you can, and you will receive a regular Kentucky welcome, and will be the recipients of that boundless hospitality which the golden-hearted people of Louisville know so well how to dispense.

Fraternally,

GEO. MOORMAN,
Adjutant General and Chief of Staff.

### News of Interest.

Republicans of the Senate claim that the President as commander-in-chief of the army has powers far beyond what Congress may confer upon him as President.

The New York World says Governor Taylor, of Kentucky, is in that city in consequence of the finding of a bill for murder against him in Kentucky and that he has appealed to Governor Rosevelt not to surrender him on requisition.

Republican Senator George L. Wellington, of Maryland, will become a working member of the Democratic party after the close of the present session of Congress if he keeps to his expressed intention.

He has already announced that he will not support McKinley if he should be nominated. The Senator will take no overt political action until McKinley's nomination shall have been made.

With an ex-President of the United States, Benjamin Harrison, to bid them welcome, there was gathered Saturday in Carnegie Hall more than two thousand missionary workers from every quarter of the globe. For ten years preparations have been under way for this meeting known as the Ecumenical Conference of foreign missions. It is the third of its kind ever held. Every branch of the Christian church is represented except the Roman Catholic, the Greek and that branch of the Anglican church known as the Society for Propogation of the Gospel.

President and Mrs. McKinley left Washington at 7:20 o'clock last night for a visit of several days to Canton. Accompanying them were Secretary Cortelyou, Dr. P. M. Rixey, George Barber, a nephew of the President; Mr. William S. Hawk, a friend and Mr. Leonard, a stenographer. The President and Mrs. McKinley will inspect the work which has been in progress on their Canton home and return to Washington probably Friday.

### THE RECEPTION COMMITTEE.

**Men Who will Formally Welcome the Candidates.**

Messrs. J. D. McNeill, H. L. Cook and E. R. McKethan, the committee appointed for the purpose, announce the following as the reception committee on the occasion of the visit of the State candidates.

RECEPTION COMMITTEE.

Hon. H. L. Cook, Chairman; Maj. E. J. Hale, Col. Wharton J. Green, Hon. George M. Rose, Captain J. B. Smith, N. A. Sinclair, Esq., Walter L. Holt, Esq., Dr, H. W. Lilly, Maj. B. R. Huske, Capt. D. H. Ray, Maj. Charles Haigh, Col. W. S. Cook, I. A. Murchison, Esq., Col. John A. Pemberton, Maj. A. A. McKethan, Dr. J. V. McGougan, Maj. J. B. Broadfoot, Maj. James R. Williams, M. McI. Matthews, Herbert, Lutterloh, G. A. Burns, James F. Johnson, D. A. McMillan, J. A. King, Ransom Burns, John A. Oates, J. H. Currie, D. A. Blue, John W. McLauchlin, J. C. McGougan, Dr. H. N. Monroe, L. A. Blue, George W. Graham, John T. Sinclair, A. A. Harrington, J. R. Smith, John T. Bynum, T. J. Gardner, W. H. Marsh, Heman Jones, W. C. Riddle, J. D. Johnson, J. W. Hall, D. E. Beard, J. J. Bullard, H. B. Downing, N. C. Thaggard, H. E. Smith, T. J. Haywood, Jeff D. Sessoms, W. R. Maxwell, H. H. Bolton, W. G. Holmes, S. B. Talbot, Josiah Cook, Alex. McAllister, H. L. Hall, Walter J. Smith, Isaac Strickland, Hon. W. L. Williams, S. R. Surles, W. B. Ray, George A. McKay, John P. McLean.

MOUNTED ASSISTANTS TO CHIEF DIRECTOR.

Maj. E. L. Pemberton, S. H. Strange, L. A. Williamson, Dr. D. G. McKethan, Dr. John MacRae, J. M. Goddard, Hector McGeachy, J. H. Robinson, W. N. Williams, R. H. McDuffie, John C. Gorham, J. W. Ingold, J. A. Lambeth, W. A. Vanstory, D. T. Oates, C. M. Watson, E. T. Watson, Carl Ledbetter, W. W. Huske, John S. Maultsby, W. H. Powell, W. S. MacRae, J. G. Hollingsworth, Jarvis Buckingham, Stiles Sedberry, Thomas Green, Ambrose Williams, S. J. Cameron, M. A. Gillis, Lee Bethune, N. A. McKeithan, A. L. Gilliland, Jr., W. M. Lamont, John M. Owens, Irvin McGill, John Black, J. Marshall Williams, W. A. Huske, J. A. Pearce, Z. B. Newton, J. C. Culbreth, W. S. Evans, James Kirkpatrick, J. H. Faircloth, C. L. Thaggard, R. G. Hair, W. C. Fields, S. S. McDaniel, John Holmes, Dr. L. A. Munn, John Ballance, D. A. McAllister, W. M. Walker, B. T. McBryde, D. C. Culbreth, C. D. Gilmore, W. A. Tillinghast. Assistants from adjoining counties will be named as heard from later.

### Mr. Godfrey Not a Candidate.

Correspondence of the Observer.

SPOUT SPRINGS, N. C., April 18, 1900.

MR. EDITOR:—I have been informed that I was spoken of through your paper as a nominee for the Legislature on the Democratic ticket for Harnett county. This was without my knowledge. I wish to say that I do not want my name used in the convention for two reasons:

First—That I am not competent to serve my people should I be nominated and elected.

Second—I cannot *leave* my business to take up politics.

Please publish and oblige,

Very Truly,

D. GODFREY.

P. S. Wishing Democratic victory and White Supremacy.

### A Horrible Tragedy.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Philadelphia, April 24.—Mrs. Kuhn, of Richmond, Va., is dying at St. Joseph's hospital, from terrible injuries. She was found lying in the yard of the Kuhn apartments clad in a night dress bleeding and unconscious. Her head and face were cut as with a knife, one leg was broken and her body badly bruised as if it had been kicked and beaten. Her husband was found in his bedroom partially dressed, on the floor, in a pool of blood, with his throat cut from ear to ear, but not deeply. It is believed he will recover. Kuhn is an ex State Senator.

Miss Lera Marsh, from Ore Hill, is visiting Miss Ethel Fisher.


## PAINFUL PERIODS NO MORE

MRS. GEORGE OSMUN, of Belvidere, Warren Co., N. J., writes: "Suffering as I had from weakness, irregularities and backache for several years, a release from this suffering was a blessing. Oh! how I wish more suffering women would accept your kind offer and be relieved. There is no need for women to suffer. Mrs. Pinkham's advice and Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound will relieve them."

MRS. IDA PETERS, Milan, Tenn., writes:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM—When I wrote to you the first time asking your advice I was a great sufferer. Menstruations were irregular, sometimes a week too soon and then a week or two late, and when they appeared were very profuse; great pain and tenderness in the bowels, pain in back and limbs, leucorrhœa all the time. I was weak and nervous and had no appetite. Burning and choking sensation in my throat. I received your reply and followed all your instructions and now I am cured. I owe my recovery all to Mrs. Pinkham's advice and her wonderful remedies."

ELLA E. BRENNER, East Rochester, Ohio, writes:

"I have been thankful a thousand times since I wrote to you for what your Vegetable Compound has done for me. I followed your advice carefully and now I feel like a different person. My troubles were backache, headache, nervous tired feeling, painful menstruation and leucorrhœa. I took four bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, one box of Pills, one package of Sanative Wash and am now well."

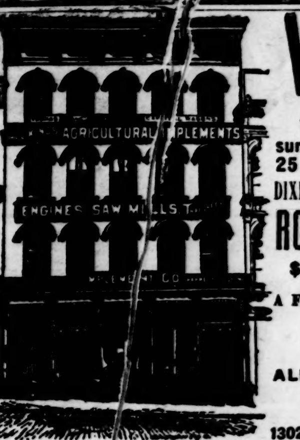
MRS. MAGGIE P. STINE, New Berlin, Pa., writes:

"I have suffered with terrible backache in the small of my back for about seven years, and could never get anything to help me. I tried several physicians, but found no help. I have now taken three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and feel like a different woman."

MRS. H. A., 124 S. Cedar Street, Owosso, Mich., writes:

"Nearly three years ago I wrote to you asking advice in regard to my health. I was so miserable; suffered from painful menstruation and backache, was nervous, dizzy and faint. I received such a kind letter from you, telling me just what to do. I followed your advice and I now am recommending Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I thank God for this pain destroyer."



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### Care of Lamps

Many housekeepers think there is nothing to learn about the care of lamps, but if the little details herein mentioned are adhered to there will be a great difference in the light. First, a lamp must be cleaned and filled every morning; the burners should be cleaned once a week, and the best way is to boil them in water to which

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has been added. Put a teaspoonful into a quart of water and boil ten minutes. The flues should be put into a pan of cold water and heated slowly until they boil, then take off and allow to cool gradually; this toughens the glass.

The above is taken from our free booklet "GOLDEN RULES FOR HOUSEWORK" Sent free on request to

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### Gen. Toon and Mr. Vanstory.

Greensboro Record.

Our esteemed townsman C. P. Vanstory is going to stick to his old friend Col. Toon, nominated on the Democratic ticket for Superintendent of Public Instruction.

All the candidates are to be here Tuesday evening at the Court House and Mr. Vanstory authorizes the statement that he is going to the station at 6:10 p. m. to meet Col. Toon with four iron gray horses and a tally-ho. Prof. Joyner, of the Normal, also a personal friend, will ride with Mr. Vanstory and Col. Toon.

"I tell you he is a great man and everybody will find it out, besides he is just as good a man as ever walked, but this time he is not going to walk; I am going to bring him up town in style. It's all my own get-up; the committees can look out for the others; I am going to take care of my old friend and do all I can for him," and he will.

So when you see a "coach and four" the stranger will be Col. Toon, the others Prof. Joyner and Mr. Vanstory.

### Hon. D. H. McLean.

Dunn Banner.

The many friends of Hon. D. H. McLean, of this county, and along the Cape Fear section regret that he was not successful in the State Convention for the nomination of Secretary of State.

He received a very flattering vote, as on the first ballot he led the field by fifty votes, having received on that ballot 390¼ votes. He would undoubtedly have been nominated had a farmer been nominated for Lieutenant Governor. Col. Cuningham, of Person, was defeated by Mr. Turner, of Iredell, who was a lawyer, and it was then stated that it would be dangerous to the Amendment to put another lawyer on the ticket. Mr. McLean withdrew his name from the contest, stating that he would surrender any ambition or aspiration, rather than imperil the success of the Constitutional Amendment, upon the ratification of which depended the salvation of the State. When the Convention adjourned, Mr. McLean was the most popular man on the floor. His friends were disappointed at his defeat but highly gratified at the high stand he occupied in the estimation of the people. Mr. McLean has a bright future ahead of him, and hence we all should be fully reconciled to his temporary failure. In recognition of his ability and gifts of oratory, he was elected one of the two Electors at Large by acclamation, Mr. Lee S. Overman, of Salisbury, being his running mate. These two gentlemen will carry the banner of Bryan and free silver to victory at the November election.

### Death From Overwork.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Jersey City, April 21.—Chancellor McGill died this morning from exhaustation through overwork.

### The Difference Between the Spaniard and the Boer as a Marksman.

A Washington telegram says:

The War Department has prepared an instructive statement, comparing the mortality of the Spanish-American war with that of the first six months of the present South African war, the purpose being to show that the casualities suffered by the American troops at the time of their occurrence (which are regarded in some quarters as excessive, and are the basis of much criticism) were actually very much less in number proportionately than those suffered by the British army up to date.

As to the British showing the statement covers the returns from October 11 to April 7, nearly six months. There were 309 officers and 3,944 men killed in action, by accident or by wounds and disease. There were set down as missing and as prisoners 168 officers and 4,722 men and 288 officers and 4,934 men invalided home, making the total British losses, exclusive of sick and wounded in the hospital in South Africa, 76 officers and 12,600 men. It is estimated that nearly 10,000 officers and men are sick and wounded in the hospitals, showing a loss in effective strength since the beginning of the war of about 23,000 men. The number of wounded is not stated.

During the war with Spain, the American army lost by death 107 officers and 2,803 men. There were wounded 113 officers and 1,464 men. Only 12 per cent. of the American death rate resulted from wounds or occurred in battle, while the corresponding rate for the British army is 63.13 per cent.

### The Queen's Return.

By cable to the Observer.

Dublin, April 24.—The Queen will leave Dublin Thursday morning and will return to Windsor by way of Hollyhead.

### China.

By cable to the Observer.

Paris, April 24.—A Pekin dispatch says that Chinese oppposition to the open door policy is growing and is endangering the lives of foreigners. Russia is most feared and America is least disliked, because least aggressive.

### Manchester's Aadvanced Government.

The city of Manchester, England, which furnishes the most advanced example of municipal socialism, has made a new departure by adding manufactories of soap, tallow, oil, glue and fertilizers to its garbage and sewerage department. The city government now owns street car lines, gas, electric light and water works, ice factories, slaughter houses, cemeteries, cheap lodging houses, technical schools, art galleries and workshops for the manufacture and repair of its vehicles, tools and implements. It has reclaimed a large swamp by depositing its street cleanings and the solid matter found in its sewerage, and is now reclaiming another, by which it is expected to add severalmillions of dollars to the wealth of the corporation.

The most novel branch of the city government is a corps of housecleaners, who can be employed by the occupants of stores, flats, office rooms and residences to overhaul and clean their establishments as often as desired. A Manchester woman who desires her house cleaned can telephone to police headquarters, and a gang of scrubbers, sweepers, window washers, etc., will be sent at once to take up the carpets and relay them, and do her spring house cleaning in short order and first class style while she goes to London or visits friends in the country.

### The Late Mr William E. Hill.

Wilmington Messenger.

We regretted to learn that one of Duplin county's oldest and best known citizens, William E. Hill, was no more. He passed away on the 9th instant, of the grip, in the 72nd year of his age. We knew him at the University of North Carolina, most pleasantly in the forties. He was a companionable, accessible student, had many friends and associates, enjoying their confidence and esteem. We met him occasionally after those times, but have not seen him in many years. The Clinton Democrat in the announcement of his death says:

"He practiced law at Kenansville for several years, represented his county in the legislature, and took a prominent part in public affairs. During the late years he was a large and successful planter.

"Colonel Hill was a man of remarkable sincerity and straight-forwardness, he was candid, honest and without guile; a true and steadfast friend; a devoted husband and father; a good citizen and a sincere Christian. Colonel Hill performed his part in life justly and well. He was a member of the Presbyterian church, whose services he never missed unless providentially hindered.

"His wife was Miss Fannie D. Faison. She, with her daughters and four sons, survive him."

### A Strange Case of Borrowing.

Your reporter incidentally heard of possibly the most unique case of borrowing on record. A neighbor living on Hay Mount having some fine eggs she wished to have hatched and having no hen of her own, borrowed a setting hen from a neighbor and agreed to give one half of the chickens for the use of her. As the hen has not yet "come off" it is doubtful whether or not the trade will result in mutual profit.


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I am in my seventy-third year, and for fifty years I have been a great sufferer from indigestion, constipation and biliousness. I have tried all the remedies advertised for these diseases and got no permanent relief. About one year ago, the disease assuming a more severe and dangerous form, I became very weak, and lost flesh rapidly. I commenced using Dr. Mozley's Lemon Elixir. I gained twelve pounds in three months. My strength and health, my appetite and my digestion were perfectly restored, and now I feel as young and vigorous as I ever did in my life. L. J. ALLDRED,
Door-keeper Ga. State Senate,
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## Sale of Land for Taxes.

The undersigned will on Monday, May 7th, 1900. expose to sale at the Court House door in the Town of Fayetteville, the following described land for sale for non payment of taxes due for the year 1899.

G. A. BURNS, Sheriff.

*CROSS CREEK TOWNSHIP.*

Adams, Frank H., 1 lot res Moore st $ 6 84
Austin, Charity C, 1 lot res Moore st 2 80
Allen, J L, 1 lot res Dick st 15 60
Armstrong, Chas, 8½ acres McIntyre land; 1 lot imp Wilmington road 7 30
Ashe, Andrew, 1 lot res North st 5 42
Barge, Lewis, res Ramsey st 6 27
Barge, Amelia, 1 lot imp Chatham st 4 05
Baker, Miss Lula, 1 lot imp Ramsey st; 1 lot res Robinson st; 1 lot vac Robinson st; 1 lot stable Robinson st; 1 lot Bass st; 1 lot imp Hillsboro st; 1 lot imp Robinson st; 1 lot vac opposite stable 40 95
Beard Mike, est. 1 lot res Hillsboro st 2 95
Bell, Calvin C, 1 lot res King st 3 63
Boone, W J, imp McIver st; 1 lot Res Winslow st; imp Winslow st; store Hay st 27 98
Brandt, L J, Haymount 2 70
Bray, Kate A, 1 lot Frink alley res 2 40
Broadfoot, Robert, 1 lot res Moore st 7 68
Bryant, Mary J, est, 1 lot imp King st; 1 lot Person st 2 40
Buckingham, H L, est, 1 lot Robinson st 4 05
Burnett, Diley, 4 acres Murchison road 3 80
Butler, Mrs E R, 1 lot res Hillsboro st 6 80
Campbell, C L, 1 lot res Robinson st 17 29
Campbell, Miss S T, store Person st; 4 lots town, 32 10
Carrell, Mrs R W, 150 acres Wright land 10 30
Chavers, Judy, 1 lot res Ramsey st 3 08
Chestnutt, Dallas, 1 lot imp Mechanic st 3 50
Church, J D, 1 lot imp Cool spring st 15 05
Council, Emma J, vac North st 2 40
Currie, Mrs Catherine, 2 lots Murchison road 2 20
Curtis, Preston, imp Wilmington road 3 50
Cuyler, Rev P L, 2 lots vac Gillespie st 6 22
Dancy, Laura, 4 acres McIntyre land 2 23
Davis, R D, res Mumford st 5 98
Deal, James R, res North st 3 80
Deming, G S, res Winslow st 4 15
Driver, J A, res Murchison road 5 86
Dunn, A H, vac Ramsey st 7 18
Elliott, Wm. res Winslow st 2 40
Emmitt, J N, res Robinson st 15 68
Evans, Susan, res Hillsboro st 2 95
Fuller, Tempsey, vacant C st 2 12
Godwin, Wiley, old poor house 10 44
Graham, Francy, res Cool spring street, 5 81
Holliday, Eliza B, imp Old st 4 05
Holliday, Abe, res Raiford lane; improved Frink alley 7 38
Hawley Luther, res Grove st 4 91
Henderson, G W, res Chatham st 5 70
Huske, J A, imp Haymount; vacant Haymount 20 97
Jones, James H, imp Broad st 7 18
Leary, John S, imp Ramsey st 9 55
Ledbetter, R H, 160 acres Ecclesford 13 80
Ledbetter, C B, Res Hog st; Laundry, Franklin st 17 12
Lewis, Mrs Annie E, vac Hillsboro st 2 67
Lockamy, Mrs A M, res Mumford st; imp Hockady house 14 75
Malloy, W B, imp Bass st; imp Hay st 16 19
Martin, Margaret, res Russell st 2 96
Monroe, W C, res Orange st 5 19
Montgomery, Rev F L, res Haymount 2 05
Mooney, B H, res Bass st 5 41
Moore, Jeremiah, res Chatham st 5 19
Mazingo, J W res King st; imp King st 3 50
McLean, D N, imp Bass st 4 41
do do agt for McArthur, A D, vac Hay st 3 50
do do agt for McCall, imp Worth st 2 95
do do agt for D W McLean, res Haymount 9 55
McLean, Wilson, res Gillespie st, 7 20
McMillan, W J, guardian, store Person st, west side Wilmington road; Granger house 38 21
MacRae, Lina, imp Russell st 3 50
Newberry, T B, res turnpike; imp turnpike 39 22
Newberry, C B res Haymount; imp Poplar spring 9 98
Newberry, Walter, vac Poplar spring 2 55
Newberry, J C, 2 imp Haymount; vac do 4 43
Partridge, A, imp Wilmington road 2 95
Payne, Catherine, 8 acres Murchison road 1 85
Reacher, Annie, imp Gillespie street 2 95
Richarden, Charley, imp Mechanic street 2 40
Richarden, John W, vac Cumberland street 2 12
Roberts, Mrs Addie, res Mumford street 5 70
Roberson, A A, res Moore street 3 50
Roberson, Jas E, res Worth street 2 95
Roddick, Mrs John, imp Person street 10 10
Scurlock, Geo C, imp Chatham street
Scurlock, Geo C, imp German street 12 30
Scurlock, est of Neill, imp McIver street 2 40
Shaw, Mrs John, res Russell street 7 90
Sheppard, Mrs C I, res Haymount 8 80
Sheppard, Eliga, vac Rowan street; Frink alley; Hay st; imp Ann st; imp Hillsboro st; imp Rowan st; imp Moore st 27 42
Sinclair, N A, res Haymount 13 80
Simmons, Rev R H, imp Gillespie street; imp Russell street; imp Cool Spring; imp Wilmington road; imp Wilmington road; vac Cool Spring street 12 15
Smith, Mrs J N, residence Rowan street 10 10
Stevens, Henderson, 4 acres McIntire land; residence Orange street 4 11
Stevens, Tom, 1 lot Turnpike 1 93
Stewart, William, 7 acres Harrington Hill 2 42
Troy, Mrs M A, residence B street 4 60
Tucker, James, res Nut street; vac Catherine street 7 24
Tyler, Hannah, res Turnpike 2 08
Thompson, Jno P, res Harrington Hill; Haigh land, 2 imp Ramsey street; Crow Place and Ramsey; imp Dick street, imp Cool Spring; vac Cool Spring; imp Wilmington road; imp Wilmington road; imp North street; imp Cool Spring 81 04
Vann, J C, res Harrington Hill 22 61
Virginia Life Insurance Co., Watson house 5 70
Walker, Castella, 11 Murchison street 3 50
Webb, W R Mrs., imp Murchison street 23 31
Welsh, Mrs. J W, imp Mumford street; vac adjoining 9 86
Whaley, Biram, residence Haymount 9 86
White, W H, imp Roberson street 4 89
Williams, Sidney, 5 acres McIntyre land 1 63
Williams, Geo H, imp King street; imp Russell street; vacant near Person; imp south side Person street; imp south side Person; imp south side Person; imp south side Person; vac Gillespie street; imp Davis street; imp Broad and King street 31 62
Williams, E P, imp Person street 11 82
Williams, Mrs T H, res Person street; imp Cool Spring street 5 70
Williams, Jeff R, residence Barn Hill 5 12
Williams, R H, Store Person street, vac Davis street 8 22
Williams, Mary L, imp Winslow street 2 95
Williams, Sareph, res Ramsey street 5 74
Williams, E N, 1½ acres Matthew's Ferry road; res Blount street, vac Blount street; imp Adams street; imp Mumford street 20 64
Williams, Hattie, Worth land 1 93
Williamson, Missouri, residence Cool Spring 2 50
Willis, G M, imp Campbelton 2 95
Wilson, D J, Jr., res Hillsboro st; imp Hillsboro 17 84
Wynn, James, residence Campbellton 4 09

CROSS CREEK--UNLISTED.

Adams, Eliza, residence North street 2 55
Adkins, Robert, imp Broad street 2 40
Andrews, James, residence Grove street 2 95
Arnett Frank, vac Campbellton 1 58
Bain, Kate, res North street 2 95
Baker, Betsy, Worth land 2 55
Baldwin, Henry, res Wilmington road 2 40
Beatty Cloe, Sandford land 2 22
Benton, Thamy, imp Orange st; vac Campbellton 4 88
Bogans, C B, res Robinson street 2 67
Brown, Lura, imp North street 2 95
Brown, Alfred, res Robinson street 4 60
Bullock H C, residence Orange street 2 95
Cain Betsy, imp North street 1 85
Carver Dina G, res Blount street 4 05
Chatterton, Thomas, Woodard place 8 80
Clegg, Bunid, res Orange street 2 95
Cotton, Fannie, imp Hillsboro street 2 95
Covington, Charley, Worth land 2 55
Croom, J D, guardian, store Gillespie street; ware house lot; vac B street 17 25
Culbreth, Hueh, res Mumford street 2 55
Draughon, W B, shop Campbellton 1 85
Dunn, Flora, 10 acres joining Tokay 2 55
Elliott, Beck, 5½ acres joining Tokay 2 22
Evans, John, Worth land 1 93
Evans, Hettie, Worth land 2 55
Freeman, Annie, res Poplar Springs 2 12
Hackney, Murphy, imp Chancie street 3 50
Hitchcock Alice, imp Russell street 3 50
Hatwood, John, res Cool Spring street 4 60
Hill, Carlotte, res Cool Spring street 4 60
Huske, Ellen, res Blount street 4 05
Jenkins, Geo., imp McIver street 2 67
Johnson, Joel C, (g'n), store No 8, "Nimocks" 20 55
Kelly, John, imp Blount street 3 50
Knott, Hettie Jane, 6 acres McIntyre land 2 24
Lambeth, Mrs Ellen, res Mumford street; stable; imp Wilmington road 17 80
Lambeth, J A, for Whitfield, store Gillespe st 12 30
Lanier, Ben, res Frink alley 6 29
Lee, Harry, res Campbellton 2 04
Lutterloh Francey, residence arsenal ground, 2 55
Mitchell, Nip, residence Frink alley 2 40
Moore, A, estate, res Haymount 17 25
Mazingo, Becky, imp King street 2 40
Mellas, Mary, imp Water street 2 40
Neal, Pleasant, vac Broad street 1 85
Poe, Hasten, 13 acres on A & Y railroad 2 40
Sellers J W, imp B street 4 75
Settle Dan, imp Russell street 3 50
Smith, Mrs. Daniel, vac Person street 2 40
Strickland, J M., shop Person street 1 85
Turlington, Becky, imp near river 2 12
Waddill, Wm, imp Frink alley 3 50
Watson, Mary Ann, imp Broad street 3 50
Webb, Martha, residence arsenal lot 2 55
West, Carolina, residence Russell street 3 12
Whitehead, Z W, imp Haymount, 13 80
Williams, Rose, res Russell street 2 95
Williams, Charley, residence Orange street 2 95
Williams, Harrison, residence Hillsboro street 2 95

*QUEWHIFFLE TOWNSHIP.*

Blue, C L, 62 acres Little creek $ 4 70
Bootman, A D, 25 acres Rockfish 3 88
Bradshaw, J A, 7 acres A & R R R 3 65
Cameron, J McN, 72 acres Chicken road 5 66
Cameron, Mrs E A, 42½ acres Chicken road 2 24
Campbell, Mrs F A, 40 acres Little creek 2 09
Currie, J C, 300 acres Drowning creek 15 16
Currie, Mrs Betty G, 190 acres Nicholson creek 2 84
Currie, Mrs M B, 113 acres Nicholson creek 2 54
Hill, Annie L, 440 acres Gum branch 6 14
Jernigan, Mrs S C, 144 acres Little creek 3 25
Kline, W D, 34 acres Rockfish 1 48
Leslie, Alex, 125 acres Old Field bridge 3 50
Lenox, R P, 125 acres Mill creek 3 82
Monroe, W A, 108 acres Rockfish 2 07
Monroe, J A C. heirs Mrs C V Campbell, Guardian 305 acres Juniper 9 55
McDuffie, Alex heirs, 170 acres Nicholson creek 4 80
McLeod, M M J, 725 acres Little creek 5 32
McKeithen, Cynthia A, 441 acres Juniper 4 05
McPherson, D J, 560 acres Gillis and Patterson; 600 Campbell 34 71
Peterson, N A, 190 acres Nicholson creek 3 53
Percereble, W S, 115 acres Rockfish 2 57
Thomas, Mrs S F, 75 acres Patterson place 3 50
Yarboro, J R, 2 acres Mill creek 1 58

*GRAY'S CREEK TOWNSHIP.*

Butler, Miss Lona, 100 acres Butler place $ 5 85
Black, J S, agent 22 acres residence 1 28
Calvin, Henry, 6 acres residence 1 58
Carver, Mrs M E, 40 acres Murphy and Smith 1 78
DeVane, Alex 4 acres residence 1 26
Evans, S M, 1070 acres home place, fence tax 14 67
Hall, M H, 113½ acres residence and 10 acres Bryan land, fence tax 3 77
Marsh, Mrs J R, 155 acres Cain land, fence tax 2 39
Marsh, Mrs J R, 53 acres Davis land; 135 acres Matthews land 9 00
McQueen, N A, 147 acres Turlington land 5 35
McFayden, Jno D, 136 acres residence 5 70
McNeill, J A, 126 acres Bane land 2 69
McLauchlin, Robt, 45 acres residence, fence tax 1 61
Marsh, M C, 115 acres residence 9 54
Nichols, Paul, 100 acres McLaurin land; 91 acres Rockfish; 75 Smith land; 125 Kerchner land; 386 acres Mill land; 20 acres Andrew Butler 19 38
Pate, A J, 100 acres; 126 Alex Pate land 12 16
Thames, Mrs M B, 153 Acres residence, fence tax 3 87
Turlington, W B, 134 acres Willis creek 4 05
Toomer, Samuel, 52½ acres residence 2 40
Burnett, G M, 25 acres residence 2 95
Culbreth, D B, 270 acres Sperman land 12 30
Carver Geo W. 50 acres residence 9 04
Carver, W H, 19 acres Roberts land 3 50
Carmon, Carolin, 80 acres residence 3 50
Crawford, Lenny R, 230 acres Simmons land 11 20
Dry, Celia, 40 acres James McNeill land 3 50
Davis, Graham, 6 acres Willis creek 6 33
Fisher, John, 9 acres residence 1 96
Gilmore, Thomas, 213 acres residence 7 98
Jackson, Dora, 23 acres Murphey Swamp 2 95
Johnson, J D Sr, 558 acres res, fence tax 5 30
Jones, Georgiana, 25 acres joins Nichols 3 50
McLemoore Estate, 75 acres, Ola place 5 79
Atkinson, Kate, 8 acres 1 86
Murphy, Malinda, 30 acres 2 24
Spearman, Hines, 270 acres Swamp land 17 14
Williams, G W, 320 acres McArthur land 20 66

*CARVERS CREEK TOWNSHIP.*

Adams, D W, 337 acres Surles land, 64 acres joins Surles, 36 09
Ayer, S G, agt, 640 acres Lancashire land, 154 acres Old Fields, 100 acres Peter Bolton, 13 61
Blue Annie Jane, 270 acres res, 5 13
Byrd, Theo, adm'r, 152 acres Williams land, 8 75
Bell, Mrs W M, 25 acres joins Bell, 1 71
Bowden, Chas T, 147 acres Bowden Est, 358 acres J W B, 4 02
Beasley, B F, 108 acres Tom Taylor land, 5 42
Bryant, Mrs R. H, 800 acres old Walker, 10 10
Bill, M, 91 acres res, 50 acres Eureka, 4 32
Clark, C H & F R, 100 acres Culbreth land, 3 50
Collin, E F 326 acres res, 267 acres Sand Hill (fence tax) 8 67
Carver, Jno, Sr, 444 acres X Creek 4 08
Cameron, H D, 297 acres res, 17 00
Dunn, A H, col, 8¾ acres near Tokay 1 58
Dunn, Chloe, col, 10 acres res 1 44
Dunn, Wm, col, 10 acres near Pine Park, 1 63
Draughon, F M E, 228 acres Dunken Blue land 10 42
Deeming, Josiah, 150 acres res, 3 78
Elliott, Louis, col, 334 acres joins McNeill's 3 20
Fowler, Rob't, col, 600 acres res 8 06
Frazell, Mrs Vulcon, 105 acres old Home fence tax 3 05
Green, Miss A C, 80 acres Strickland 3 80
Henderson, Mrs E A, col, 200 acres Oak Hill 9 00
Johnson, Wm, col, 5 acres res 3 60
King, Dan, col, 100 acres res 2 18
King, Isabella McN, 86 acres Baker land 2 34
Ledbetter, R H, 100 acres McKethan land, 2 40
Lancashire, M A, 1000 acres Mill Creek 7 35
Murchison, Mrs S C, 127 acres res 4 10
McFarland, J A 250 acres Little River 9 36
McLean, D N, 50 acres joins Carver 4 60
McCormick, Mrs H E, 180 acres McSwain land, 100 acres Armstrong land, 50 acres Bell land, 142 acres Hell Swamp 6 14
McCormick, Hugh, est, 400 acres P D road 3 50
Oats, Preston, 50 acres res 2 88
Overby, C P, exec, 1 lot Eureka Springs 1 41
Ray, Emma J, 610 acres Sand Hill, 286 acres 3 28
Smith, McL, 360 acres Benbow 1 44
Smith, Eliza, 10 acres Carvers Creek
Tomlinson, Mrs W H, ¼ acre Eureka Springs 1 41
Tillinghast, W A, 185 acres Murchison 10 60
Williams, Anthony, col, 6 acres res 3 87
Williams, W L, 94 acres res 15 08
Williams, P McK & Bro, 20 acres mill tract 2 95
Williams, S A, est 800 acres old res 34 40
Williams, Daniel, 70 acres 1 85
Walker, J C & J A, est, 300 acres old res 11 20
West, Jas, 113 acres res 10 03
Whitehead, Rob't, col, 103 acres 3 53

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Murchison, Thos, col; 4 acres joins Perry 1 51
Nimocks, R M, 100 acres McNeill land, 100 acres King land, 112 acres Hemingway land, 20 acres D B Colvin land, 70 acres M V Smith land 36 83
Raynor, S W, 32 acres Culbreth land 1 74

*FLEA HILL TOWNSHIP.*

Autry, Jess, col, 5½ acres res 1 40
do Mrs M L, est 64 acres res 5 85
Beard, Mrs E J, 155 acres (fence tax) res 3 13
Bullock, J D, 11 do Culbreth land 2 18
Braddy, Westley, col, 20 acres res 3 82
Bolton, Mrs Ida J, 50 do Breese land 3 56
Carter, Alex, 62 do Little Creek
120 do Murphy land 4 63
Carter, S F V, 92 do Carter do
79 do Godwin do 3 50
Carroll, John, 16 do res 1 83
Culbreth, D B, 42 do do 4 82
Crumpler, T I, 12 do do 1 99
Denning, S P, 48 acres Armstrong land 23 30
do D C, 62 do Young do 3 23
Evans, Mrs M A est, 60 acres Evans do 4 60
Fisher, Mrs H C, 40 do Lilly do 4 82
Geddie, Mrs G J, 50 do Geddie do 3 50
Godwin, T I 104 do res 4 93
do R A, 48 do former res 4 60
Hayes, Emma, col 50 do Moore land 1 85
Hall, Rev B R, 216 do res 21 38
Johnson, Mrs Lucretia, 95 do Beckton do 6 45
Kelly, Mathew, col, 5 do res 2 19
Moore, Grant, col 240 do do 3 54
Murphy, D L, col, 10 do do 5 35
do Alex col 57 do do
120 do Buie land 15 12
McDonald, J L 2 lots at Wade, 3½ acres mill pond 13 57
McMillan, D A, 279 acres res 6 89
do W J (guardian) 312 acres Horton land 12 85
McNeill, Mrs Mary, 140 acres Vann land 6 52
Royal, S R, 2 do res 3 26
Rhone, L R 49 do Rhone land 3 54
Sessoms, Alex, Sr 784 do Stephen do 42 90
Talbot, G F, 162 acres res, 55 acres Smith land; 156 acres McMillan land 23 00
Tilman, J C, est, 105 acres former res; 4 acres Taylor land 6 69
West, J R, 73 acres res 9 16
West, R E Mrs, 10 acres Lewis land 2 40
West, D S, 100 do res 13 91
Wombell, N T, 4 do near F bridge 4 30

UNLISTED.

Allen, M E, 48 acres Gaddie land 4 72
Allen, N T, 36 do res 4 55
Autry, D E, 13 do do Autry land 1 98
Bain Miss L A, 12 acres McMillan land 1 46
Crumpler, M M, 130 do res 2 67
Coldman, H J, 22 do Jones land 2 18
Hayse, J J, 96 do B Blitt 3 50
Horne, D F, 66 do Cade land 2 67
Hales, Emma, 50 do res 1 85
Murphy, Nettie, 73 do Murphy land 3 94
McDonald, D M, 387 do do do 20 43
do Neal, 256 do res 17 55
McKoy, Peter, 27 do do 1 98
McMillan, M E, 122 do do 6 53
Thompson, J C, 50 do Jernigan land; 50 acres Allen land 7 63
Wade, McPhail, 20 do McMillan 1 51
Williams D M, 153 do res 6 32
do J R, 50 do Bruce 6 05
do J B, 44 do Sand 2 40

*BEAVER DAM TOWNSHIP.*

Beard, D E, adm'r D D 84 acres W & W land 1 68
Carty, D L 400 acres Gaul Berry 4 90
Cashwell, W H, ag't for Andrew McCameron 50 acres res 4 33
Cashwell, W H, ag't for A S McCameron 50 acres res 1 48
Furmidge, J J, 4 acres res 4 07
Hales, M J, 59 do do 1 73
do Bettie, 100 do Gaul Berry 2 07
Hall, H A, ag't for Bland heirs 33 acres Simmons land 1 33
Hall, J W 37 acres res 4 33
do Enoch, ag't for Hula A, 30 acres res 1 78
do Enoch, ag't for Bramble 30 do Hall land 1 61
McDaniel, Marshal, ag't for An Hinton 77 acres res 1 98
Roberson, John, 63 acres res 3 54
Smith, F P, 109 do do 5 43
Smith, M J S, 295 do do 1 76
do M J ag't for M J Fowler 35 acres res 1 97
Sykes, Mariah 11 acres land 1 39
Simmons, A J 15 acres res 4 13
do D H 180 acres Byrn land 2 26
do E O 250 do res 5 17
Simpson, G T ag't McLamb Bro 225 acres Turnfall 3 23
Vinson, F J ag't for M E Heyer 915 acres Brunson land 24 40

*CEDAR CREEK TOWNSHIP.*

Bryant, H H 18½ acres res 4 14
Evans, R B 350 do J S Evans (fence tax) 5 80
Fisher, Mrs H C 20 acres Charles Evans 2 94
Haywood, Mary P, est 38 acres Edge land 5 76
do W O & W E 215 acres res 26 93
Starling, J H 90 acres res 13 57
Sessoms J D Riley heirs 397 acres Riley land 7 90
Thaggard, J J 50 acres res 2 06

UNLISTED.

Autry, G B 28 acres res 3 85
Bryant, Mrs Lucy 27 acres land 2 12
Downing, Mrs Nancy 176 acres res 6 80
Fisher, Daniel 48 do do 2 67
Godwin, Geo 119 acres res 7 43
Hail, Mrs L McK 70 acres res 4 60
do Eliza 14½ acres 1 58
Honeycut, C 100 acres former res 3 50
McDaniel, M L 47 acres Hollingsworth 4 57
Melvin, W E est 10 acres land 1 74
Martin, Ann 28 acres res 2 12
Moore, Sarah 2 do Sand Hill 1 32
Nimocks, R M 6 do Strickland 1 47
Robinson, Sam 5 do res 1 85
Smith, Ed 12 do do 1 96
Starling, Mrs Jennett 90 acres res 3 50
do L W 80 acres Autry 2 18
do Mrs L W 127 acres former res 4 42
Smith, D J 59 acres Smith land 1 96
Thagard, Geo F 150 acres res 7 08

*LITTLE RIVER TOWNSHIP.*

Ganis, M & Bros 1234 acres James Creek; 93 acres Silver Run; 697½ Piney Bottom; 736 acres Flat Creek; 100 acres Yadkin road; 165 acres Fork branch 23 67
Ganis, M 25 acres Silver Run 4 44
do Lucian 42 acres Silver Run 4 50
do Ed 44 acres Silver Run; 126 acres Yadkin road 5 52
Johnson, E McN 195 acres James Creek 6 25
Kelly, John L 15 acres Harnett line 3 82
Lazams, E M heirs of 2750 acres Tuckahoe 17 80
McKay, H J 200 acres Little River 3 17
McLean, James 60 acres Turkey Creek 3 87

UNLISTED.

Love, J R 514 acres Mill Creek 3 50
Monroe, Elisha 178 acres 4 30
McDonald, M I 290 acres Little River 9 00

*BLACK RIVER TOWNHSIP.*

Barnes, Mrs Narsisa 210 acres Barns land 5 15
Colvin, Nathan, col, 2 acres res 1 36
Culbreth, T J 25 acres Dawson land 2 12
Draughon, G W 50 acres Black River 2 72
Godwin, L G, col, 14 acres 1 72
Gainey, W F 32 acres Mingo 2 12
Holly, heirs 50 acres do 1 85
House, E J 28 acres res; 48 acres Hall land 2 95
Lee, Rob't, col, 7 acres joins Redic heirs 3 71
McLellan, D G & Dawson 40½ acres Jerry Dawson land; 45 acres Jerry Dawson land; 20 acres Jerry Dawson land 6 12
McKay, Matha' col, 25 acres res 1 85
Pope, J H 146 acres 6 25
Pope, S A E 72 acres Mingo 2 95
Pope, J C 37½ acres res 7 53
Thornton, N B 10½ acres Mingo 2 61
Tew, L H 28 acres Horse Pen 4 05
Tart, Y P 42½ acres Mingo 6 46
Wilson, Allen 3 acres Bain land 1 36
Williford, W D 67 acres res 3 28
do Mrs A E 121 acres Bain and others 3 21

*SEVENTY-FIRST TOWNSHIP.*

Autry, Mrs M J 150 acres Puppy Creek 2 95
Adcocks, A H 45 acres res 4 65
Beathy, Joanna 24 acres former land 2 40
Bruton, J D ¼ acres 7 47
Baker, M A 60 acres Cain land 1 96
Burnett, Jan, col, 25 acres res 2 10
Boon, Mrs I K 177 acres McDonald land 3 50
Cole, M D 31 res 4 26
Capps, Jas 25½ acres res 1 77
Carter, J R 137 acres res; 32 acres Stuarts Creek 11 12
Carter, Mrs J R 37 acres Horse Branch 2 40
Campbell, Mrs S C 75 acres res 1 91
do D K 160 acres Stuart Creek 4 87
do F A 100 acres Stuart Creek 2 49
Conor, C C 50 acres formally Lamont 1 85
Davis, Laura 1002 acres Puppy Creek 6 80
Davis, G G 64 acres res 5 30
Guins, Mrs S J ag't 201 acres res 15 58
Gibson, L W 26 acres res 3 06
Goodman, Joe 50 acres res 5 26
Graham, Mrs Jennett 93¼ acres res 3 91
Hill, Mrs Euroline 100 acres res 3 03
Huske W W guardian 1500 acres homes tead; 250 acres Juniper Creek; 350 Lower Little River; 1125 acres Lower Little River; 563 acres Lower Little River; 468 acres Lower Little River; 253 acres Lower Little River; 570 acres Lower Little River; 248 acres Lower Little River 29 72
Hair, J B 156 Morganton road 1 63
Harrington, A A Jr 225 acres McInnis land 4 60
Johnson, P P D 834 acres res 7 44
do Harry 55 do Baker 2 40
Kinlaw, Mrs M C 50 do res 2 12
Kivett, H J 238 do do 5 37
Kelly, Rob't, col, 5 do do 3 87
do Handy, col, 25 do do 2 67
Leslie, Wm 62 do do 5 66
Medlin, Thos 27 do joins Bass 1 89
Monroe, Wm 352 do Puppy Creek 9 04
do D C 123 do Morganton road; 62 acres res 1 79
Monroe, Wm McK 140 acres Stuarts Creek; 172 acres Buck Head 24 63
Monroe. T S 37 acres res 3 01
Monroe Neill L 450 acres res 9 54
Monroe, Jno D 100 acres Stuarts Creek 4 86
Monroe, Vergil, col, 52 acres Big Branch 1 87
Murchison, Sam, col, 55 acres res 2 73
Manley, Jno, est, 63 acres Register place 7 90
McArthur, J A 200 acres Shaw land 8 68
McArthur, Mrs M T 40 acres Pen Branch 2 40
McArthur, J A 184 acres res 18 98
McArthur, Mrs Mary 72½ acres Western Plank road 3 50
McArthur, Wm col, 45 acres res 2 93
McAllister, Nep, col, 11 acres Morganton road 1 66
McNeill, Angus, col, 6 acres Hog Branch 3 82
McNeill, Sandy, col, 120 acres res; 163 Bones Creek 6 92
McNeill, H C col, 131 acres joins McNeill; 76 acres McCaskill; 22 acres res 3 50
McNeill, Margaret, col, 55 acres res 1 59
McDuffie, Mrs M A, est, 149 acres est 7 42
McDuffie Isaac, col, 10 acres res 1 98
McGill, S E 124 acres res 3 20
McGugan, Mrs J C 450 acres Little River; 200 acres Puppy Creek 6 07
McIntyre, Mrs S J 146 acres res 2 97
McKethan, A J 93 acres res 10 31
McKinnon, Annie, col, 125 acres res 4 40
McKay, A B, col, 24 acres res 2 66
do Thos, col, 25 acres res 2 37
do Archie, col, 10 acres Bird Branch 2 53
do Malcom est 3000 acres McCella 10 10
McLauchlin, N D est 411 acres res 18 74
McLean, Mrs D N 6 acres Branson Creek 2 29
do D N 10 acres Carver land; 9 acres joins Cole 2 18
McPherson, Toby col 36 acres res 4 19
McPhail, Christian 160 acres Big Branch 3 32
do Make and sister 50 acres Stuarts Creek 1 85
McRae, Ban 156½ acres H McIntyre 2 12
Newton, Geo M 49 acres head B Creek 4 75
Parish, J C 460 acres McPhail land; 50 acres Montgomery land 23 30
Ray, M C 150 acres Gully; 147 acres Puppy Creek 4 78
Ray D James 97 acres res 4 35
Ray Jim Tap col 50 acres res 1 90
Ray Henry col 55 do do 2 40
Raynor K R 70 do do 6 92
Shaw Miss Kittie 300 do do 13 08
Shaw Jno G 300 acres Black Creek; 300 acres Shaw land 9 00
Stafford R L col 25 acres Lamont land 1 58
Smith Fanny col 10 acres res 1 58
Townsend J T 380 do do L R 9 50

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Armstrong Rica col 10 acres res 1 96
Brunkley Kate col 45 do do 4 38
Buie Neill T 14 do do 8 24
Farmer Evilena col 6 acres former place 2 40
Jackson Arey col 40 do res 4 27
do J A 242 do Chicken road 11 28
James Tom 134 do res; 100 acres Blue land 5 19
Jones J H col 55 acres Burnett land 10 18
McDonald J W col 17 acres Sandy Run 1 85
do Mrs Margaret 110 acres Beaver Creek; 110 acres H McDougald 6 47
McDiarmid W W est Big Rockfish 27 70
McNeill A F & H M 12 acres McArthur land 6 88
McNeill Ben est 12 acres res 1 96
Parum Wm 40 acres Henry Ballard; 240 acres H B Campbell; 100 acres Laura Davis; 150 acres Graham Hill; 254 H J Kivett; 500 acres G C Ray; 300 acres Ray land; 317 acres Black Creek; 290 acres Mary Warrick 62 17
Ray Neill (Taylor) est 700 acres Yadkin 16 70
Ritter Mrs Kitty 54 acres Bone Creek 2 49
Shaw Harriet col 80 do do do 3 74
Wright Chrissie 12 do Warwick land 1 66

*ROCKFISH TOWNSHIP.*

Baldwin, Easter, 9½ acres part Butler land $ 1 71
Barge, Pilgrim, 37 acres Bradshaw land 2 95
Biggs, P H, est, 25 acres res; 79 acres Lumberton road 4 87
Blount, W F, Hope Mills, No 1, 1 lot, 9 00
Brady, W T, 45 acres McArthur land, 1 85
Braxton, R L, 150 acres res 9 12
Brown, Nelson, 24 acres Tolar land 1 12
Burres, Ed, 9½ acres Chicken road 4 65
Brown, Hector, 83 acres Gaulberry 3 82
Butler, Georgiana, 0¼ acres Chicken road 1 72
Brown, John, 1 lot Hope Mills 2 40
Calhoon, Mrs C C 68 acres res 3 94
Clark, J H, 258 acres Smith land 2 95
Clark, E L, 45 acres Waddell land 1 85
Culbreth, J C, 51 acres res; 50 acres Gillis Branch 10 51
Dixon, Daniel, 205 acres McArthur land 6 46
Dixon, Henry, 58 acres res 3 20
Dixon, Plylar, 52 acres Camden road 4 14
Fairley, Rebecca Ann, 45 acres Chicken road 2 95
Freeman, Dock, est, 19¼ acres near Chicken Road 2 12
Garvin, James, 1 acre plank road 4 49
Harrington, A A, Jr, 250 acres res 16 66
Johnson, Mary, 1 lot Hope Mills, No 1 2 40
Johnson, Alexander, 1 lot do do 6 24
Johnson, John, 120 acres old plank road; 84 acres Big Rockfish; 1 lot Hope Mills, No 1 9 13
Johnson, Charles, 47 acres Maryan land, 1 lot Hope Mills, No 1 9 08
Johnson, John H, 137 acres Trurive land; 14 acres res 6 21
Johnson, James H, 141 acres Alderman land; 200 acres Nichols land, 11 4 5 acres Campbell land; 600 acres Murphy land; 144 acres Graham land; 52¼ acres Hamilton land; 1 lot and res Hope Mills No 1; 2 lot Hope Mills No 1 44 27
Judd, E M, 1 lot Hope Mills No 1 4 60
McArthur, J D, est, 150 acres Big Rockfish 1 85
McKinnon, Dr W H 9 acres near Hope Mills 6 85
McMillan, W T, est, 482 acres Lumberton road 7 90
McNeill, W J 36¾ acres Aaron McMillan land 4 36
McNeill, Dr J W, 940 acres near Hope Mills 16 70
McNatt, Gaston, 25 acres res 1 90
McNatt, Ephraim, 36 acres Cold Camp 3 66
McPhail Bros, 25 acres, Green Lee land; 2 lots Hope Mills 14 60
Narden, Manus, 1 lot Hope Mills 6 56
Ratley, G T 75 acres Lockamy land; 8½ acres Gulley land 1 29
Ratley, J S 333 acre, A McKinnon land 6 80
Rogers, D C, 1 lot Hope Mills, res; 1 lot Harrington; 1 lot Parrell; 1 lot Jackson 14 13
Smith, Henry C, 83 acres Davis land 2 12
Townsend, John T, 182 acres Rockfish, 7 35
West, J L, 34 acres near Cumberland 3 50
West, A W, 24 acres Sheppard; 15 acres Carroll; 40 acres Hobbs; 17 acres Pickett 5 32
Wishart, Edwin, town lot Hope Mills 3 09

UNLISTED.

Atlantic & Western R R 10 10
Crawford, W A, 10 acres Ray land 1 85
Carver, W H, 25 acres Howard land 1 85
Carver, George, 25 acres Howard land 1 85
McKoy, Nancy, 5 acres residence 2 40
McLoud, Abigail Mrs., 106 acres residence 6 80
Smith, Lizzie, 115 acres Smith place 7 90
Vaughn, Wm, 55 acres residence 2 95
Williams, J A, 125 acres Junis Brown 3 50
Williams, Sandy, 74 acres Davis Land 5 70
Whitehead, Mary, 118 acres 5 70
Whitehead, Archie, 117 acres 5 70

*PEARCE'S MILL TOWNSHIP.*

Abav, Henry, 100 acres Jas Pickett place; $ 25 acres residence McKay 2 86
Baxley, Mrs M A, ¼ acre near Fair ground 3 18
Benoy, W C, 100 acres Sandy run 2 55
Boone, W J, 3 acres plank road 6 25
Brewington, Ed, 1½ acres near Fair ground 3 39
Bryant, Leon, 1 lot near Fair ground 3 61
Baker, M A, 75 acres 2 40
Baker, J W, 4 acres near Factory; 100 acres Holly land; 92 acres Jenkins land; 75 acres Bone land 8 93
Carver, Mrs Mary E, 140 acres Ashford; 33 acres Joins Nance Carver; 20 acres Joins Henry Murphey 2 40
Gibson, Jesse, 30 acres Faircloth land 2 57
Grady J C 1 lot near Factory 1 82
Howell E D 1 lot near Fair ground; 64 acres Sandhill 8 11
Jackson R W ¼ acre store lot 13 37
Lancashire Mrs M A 300 acres residence 21 74
Leavy Celia Ann 37 acres Dark branch 4 17
Murphy George Sandy run 2 18
Murphy J W B 1 lot near Fair ground 6 12
McCaskill A L 200 acres Holly Brook 15 71
McLemore D J 1 lot near Holt's mill 3 92
Pate Mrs H J 100 acres Sandy run fence 1 45
Pearce J M 144 residence (fence) 2 45
Simmons Rev R H 49 acres Sandhill 2 18
Smith Ellen 5 acres Wilmington road 1 46
Smith D P 50 acres Sandy run 2 27
Snipes Henry 2 acres Dark branch 1 63
Sellers W B 48 acres Makepeace land 7 23
Thomson John P 12 lots near Fair ground 5 70
Tillinghast S W 300 Peace land 3 80
Vann Mrs I L 35 acres Holt Mill 22 31
Williams R H 74 acres Sandhill 4 36
Williams Stephen ¼ acre Wilmington road 1 85
Wilson D J Jr 180 acres 4 48

UNLISTED.

McKay Ashly 7 acres Dark branch 1 85

## Land and Property Sale for City Taxes.

On Monday, May 7th, 1900, I will expose to sale at public auction, at the Court House in the county of Cumberland, city of Fayetteville, N. C., the following lands and parcels of property to satisfy the city taxes for the year 1898 and for the costs, 65 cents.

S. W. TILLINGHAST,
Tax Collector for 1898.

Allen, Anthony, imp Campbellton $1 00
Armstrong, Chas, imp Wilmington rd 2
Bradshaw, J D, res Broad street 3 55
Bebee, Ed, imp Orange street 2
Bushee, Consider, res Campbellton 1 50
Boykin, E W, vac near Water street 50
Bryant, David A, vac Wilmington rd 50
Bryant, Mary Jane, imp King street 1
Buxton, Daniel, res Moore st, &c., 3 85
Carver, Diana G, res Blount st 2
Cox, Easter, res Lamon street 2 50
Cotton, Fannie, res Hillsboro street 1 50
Davis Adeline, res Dick street 2
Dunn, Jno L, res Robeson alley 2
Fuller, G W, res C street 2 45
Fuller, Wm, Person street 65
Fairley, Eliza, imp Mechanic street 2 50
Gaster, Bertha, res North street 2 50
Galloway, L H, vac Chancy street 50
Gee, Henry, res Frink alley 2 75
Harrison H C, res Frink alley 2 27
Harper, Andrew, vac Wilmington rd 75
Holliday, Rob't, L W Levy lot B st 3 00
Hogans C B, imp Ramsey street 1 50
Jones, J H, res Frink alley 4 80
Jones, W D, imp Broad street 4 80
Lanier, Benj J, res Frink alley 4 30
Martin, Mrs Nannie, Pearce place 1 50
Martin, Mrs. Marg't, res Russel st 1 60
Mitchell, N H, res Russel street 4 30
Mazingo, Becky, Council Hall 50
McAlister, Jas, imp Franklin street 2 90
McKethan, Sam'l, res Orange street 2 80
Owen, O J, res Broad street 6 30
Robinson, Adelaide, res Blount st 2 00
Smith, Lovedy Jane, res Chatham st 3 50
Sellars, J W and T J, office Bow st 2 50
Sellars, J W, res Campbellton 3 00
Scott, W H, res Orange street 1 50
Strickland, J M, shop Person street 2 55
Taylor, T F, res Hillsboro street 3 05
Tyson, Dennis, imp Blount street 1 50
Watson, A H, res Grove street 9 05
Waddill, Lucy, res Moore street 2 50
Williams, Henry M, res Person st 1 50
Williams, Joe, res Ramsey street 3 80
Williams, Edw'd P, vac Campbellton 50

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Baldwin, Henry, imp Wilmington rd 1
Benton, Thos, imp Orange street, do do do do do 3 50
Bullock, H C, res do do 3 30
Clegg, DeBernier, res do do 2
Coble, M E, vac Chestnut street 1
Heathcock, Alice, res Russel street 1 50
Nelson, Mary, imp Red Bone 1
Owen, S H, imp Broad street 1
Phillips, Rev Thos, imp Frink alley 1 50
Perrin, Mrs L, imp Frink alley 3
Fuller, Tempey, vac Person street 65
Holmes, Kate, imp Franklin street 1
Hogans, Dennis, imp Ramsey 2 50
Turlington, Mrs Annie, res junction 50
West, Caroline, res Russel street 75
Williams, Elizabeth L, vac Ramsey 1 50
Williams, T H, res Ramsey, do do imp do, do do do Cool Spring 6 00


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**Mr. Dillon Jordan Married.**

Mr. Dillon Jordan, formerly of this place, now in the Hope Mills Company store at No. 2, was married Sunday to Miss Nora Faircloth. We wish him and his young bride much happiness.

**Death of A Confederate Soldier.**

Mr. A. E. McLean, of Vander, who was in town Saturday, tells us of the death, Friday night, of his neighbor, Mr. R. M. Averitt, who was a Confederate soldier, a faithful Democrat and one of our best citizens.

**Census Enumerators.**

The following persons Monday received their commissions as census enumerators for Cumberland county. More will be appointed in other districts: Cross Creek, Geo. W. Lawrance, Jno. E. Garrett and Alexander S. Hall; Carvers Creek, M. Bill; Flea Hill, H. E. King.

**Dr. Hill at the Presbyterian Church.**

Dr. H. G. Hill, the former beloved pastor of the Presbyterian church, this city, preached to his old congregation Sunday morning. Of course it was an able sermon, but it was more, it was a powerful one. Dr. Hill announced at the outset that it was a sermon that he had preached from the same pulpit twenty-eight years before, and, after listening to the almost seemingly inspired words, which the venerable minister delivered with unusual feeling, one did not have to wonder at the great hold Dr. Hill had on our people at that time, and for the rest of his pastorate here. His subject was the New Jerusalem, and, though preached so long ago, was startingly appropriate to the present time.

**For the Re-Building of the Arsenal.**

We find the following paragraph in the press dispatches sent out from Washington Saturday:

"Mr Thomas to-day presented voluminous petitions from citizens of North Carolina and New York for the re-establishment of a United States arsenal at Fayetteville."

The idea of petitioning Congress for the re-building of the arsenal originated with Gen. LeDuc, Secretary of Agriculture in Hay's administration, who, during his residence here, was so struck with the beauty of the site of the great arsenal destroyed by Sherman, and the magnificent location of Fayetteville for such an object, that he was enthusiastic on the subject. This too, it must be remembered, was before the late Spanish war, and the resultant and continuing foreign troubles which lends additional force to the proposition.


The Business College Course of Littleton Female College, Littleton, N. C., will continue through the Summer months, and immediate correspondence is desired with those who wish to take advantage of this opportunity.


**The Great Improvement of the Cemetery.**

It is worth a walk to the cemetery, specially, to see the vast improvement which has been effected there by Messrs. Lamb and Deal, under the supervision of Alderman Underwood. Remembering what it was a few weeks ago, the beautifaction of this resting place of the dead and the reclamation of parts of it from almost the condition of a wilderness, seems a feat of extraordinary merit. Mr. Lamb, as everybody knows, is one of the most skillful landscape gardeners to be found in America. Mr. Deal is a faithful contractor and master workman who always does his work well, and they both have done themselves, as well as the city, full justice in this matter.

It must be borne in mind, to the great credit of Alderman John Underwood, that it was he who conceived and inaugurated this pious work, and he deserves the thanks of the community therefor.


Littleton Female College, Littleton. N. C., desires immediate correspondence with four orphan girls, or young ladies, over sixteen years old, who desire to go off to school next fall.


**Remarkable Cure of Rheumatism.**


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About three years ago my wife had an attack of rheumatism which confined her to her bed for over a month and rendered her unable to walk a step without assistance, her limbs being swollen to double their normal size. Mr. S. Maddox insisted on my using Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I purchased a fifty-cent bottle and used it according to the directions and the next morning she walked to breakfast without assistance in any manner, and she has not had a similar attack since.—A. B. PARSONS. For sale by B. E. Sedberry & Sons.


**Strange Case of Dr. Williams, "the Cancer Doctor."**

Our readers will remember seeing in these columns, recently, a paragraph stating that Dr. Williams had been admitted to the Home of the Aged and Infirm. Dr. Williams, for a number of years, has been quite a character in this community, professing to have a cure for cancer, the ability to remove warts and other unnatural growths, and, by this means, making a scanty living. Certain it is that he was a man of some ability, though his history was always shrouded in mystery, no one knowing whence he came or anything as to his previous condition. He recently suffered a stroke of paralysis, and being old and feeble, and without means of support, he was sent to the County Home for the Aged and Infirm.

A few days ago he confessed to Mr. McFayden, the manager of that institution, that his name was not Williams, but Quarles, and that his home was at Littleton, N. C., where he had left a wife and three sons ten years ago.

Mr. McFayden at once notified the family, and Sunday, one of the sons arrived here, went out to the County Home, recognised his father, and Monday he left with him on the noon train for Littleton.

Young Mr. Quarles, who seemed to be a well-to-do man, said that his father disappeared from home mysteriously ten years ago, and that after every effort had been made to find him, he was mourned for dead. When his father disappeared he and two other brothers were only boys, but now they were men, well off in worldly goods, able and willing to take care of their aged father as they have done of their deserted mother.

**County Committee Meeting.**

The Democratic County Executive Committee met in the office of Chairman H. L. Cook, Esq., at 11 o'clock. The attendance was gratifyingly large, as the notice was short.

Capt. J. D. McNeill was invited to address the committee on the plans for the big ratification meeting on the 30th, which he did in vigous style. There was an informal discussion and a general interchange of opinions, and much enthusiasm manifested. It is said that it was the most enthusiastic meeting of the "unterrified" so far this year. Among the plans adopted is that every precinct in the county will furnish a mounted delegation for the procession. Some townships pledged fifty, some one hundred, &c.

In some townships the ladies will present the committee with a white flag, emblematical of "white supremacy," and it is hoped every township and precinct will be honored in this way. The old men and the young men were all enthusiastic for the big meeting. Among those present were: H. L. Cook, chairman, J. D. McNeill, J. Marshal Williams, W. J. Smith, Josiah Cook, W. G. Holmes, S. B. Talbot, H. H. Bolton, W. C. Fields, J. H. Faircloth, E. R. McKethan, secretary of the of the committee, James Kirkpatrick, N. G. Biggs, —— Bedsole, Wignes, C. D. Gilmore, H. E. Smith, and quite a number of others whose names we could not get.

**The A. C. L. Consolidation.**

At a special meeting in Wilmington of the stockholders of the W. & W. rail road, the agreement made in Baltimore recently for the consolidation of all the companies comprising the Atlantic Coast Line system, under the name of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, was ratified.

In commenting upon the matter of the consolidation of the Atlantic Coast Line system into one big company, the Richmond Dispatch gives the following statement:

The mileage of the Atlantic Coast Line of Virginia is 100; of the Norfolk and Carolina 116; Atlantic Coast Line of South Carolina, 675 miles, and Wilmington and Weldon, 623 miles. The Atlantic Coast Line also controls the Charleston and Western Carolina, 399 miles; the Central of South Carolina, 41 miles; the Wilson and Summerton, 40 miles; Cape Fear and Yadkin Valley, 174 miles. This consolidation will give the Atlantic Coast Line a total mileage of 2,159.

**Death of Judge Atkins.**

Major John N. Prior received a telegram from Richmond Tuesday afternoon announcing the death of his brother-in-law, Judge Thomas S. Atkins.

Judge Atkins was a gentleman highly honored by the citizens of Richmond, was a lawyer of ability, and for several years held the position of Judge of the Hustings court. At the time of his death he was Master in Equity of the Richmond and Danville and Chesapeake and Ohio railroads. The death of Judge Atkins was not unexpected; he had been in feeble health for some time. He married the eldest daughter of Warren Prior, Esq., of this place, and leaves a wife, four daughters and one son to mourn his loss.

Major Prior left last night to be present at the funeral.

**An Interesting Bit of History.**

Gradually the past history of "Dr. Williams" whose true name is Mr. Crief Quarles, is coming to life. It seems that he was born in Halifax county, and went to West Point as a cadet from that Congressional district. He remained there but a short time, having to resign on account of his health, and his place was taken by Gen. Rob't Ransom, the famous Confederate cavalry General.

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**Fayetteville and Silk Culture.**

In reply to an inquiry about a report that a planter in St. Thomas parish, near Charleston, S. C., has achieved a notable success in silk culture, and derives an annual income of from $6000 to $8000, the News and Courier says that the report refers to Nathanial Johnson, under whose direction nearly 200 years ago silk culture was thoroughly tried and proved eminently successful in South Carolina, and that conditions are at least as favorable to success now as they were in 1707.

In an interview in the New Orleans Picayune, Mr. C. A. Sherwood said recently: "The first silk factory to be erected in the South is the one at Fayetteville, N. C. Our raw material comes in via New York, and is shipped to Fayetteville, where it is made up. Even then the company has found it profitable to maintain the silk mill industry in the South, and I dare say others will cross the line and fine locations in the South."

Commenting on the above the Southern Farm Magazine says:

"These two items have been brought together as a suggestion that perhaps if South Carolina should make it necessary for the North Carolina company to bring in its raw material by way of New York, both the Fayetteville mill and the silk culturists might share greater profits."

**Tremendous Losses By the Flood.**

By telegraph to the Observer.

New Orleans, April 21.—The floods here caused, according to conservative estimate, three millions damages in central and southern Mississippi, exclusive of damage sustained to railroads. Columbia estimates her loss at half a million. Hickory, Miss., is surrounded and the Pearl river is higher than for years. Honey Island, the rendezvous of the noted train robber Busch, is under twenty feet of water. Half a score of towns are cut off from the outside world.

**The Plague Alarming in Australia.**

By cable to the Observer.

Vancouver, April 21.—Dr. Bartlett, of Sydney, a passenger on the steamship Miowera, said that when he left Sydney the plague was assuming alarming proportions. There were seven cases a day for several days, and it was spreading from the tenement district to other parts of the city and had got beyond the control of the health authorities. Outside of the city it is spreading rapidly and breaking out in unlikely places all over the colony. Around the wharves millions of fish and rats have died of the plague and are rotting on the beach.

**The United States and Turkey.**

By telegraph to the Observer.

Washington, April 23.—The American Charge D'Affairs at Constantinople reports that the Sultan has made additional assurances for a settlement of the claim of the United States. Officials say that this assurance does not change the situation as it is not very definite. It is understood the Sultan merely repeated to the Charge D'Affairs verbal acknowledgement of his liability and promise to pay the indemnity.

**A Train's Thrilling Trip.**

By cable to the Observer.

Winnipeg, April 23 ---The forest fires on the southeastern border are still raging. The entrapped train succeeded in breaking through the flames and arrived here this morning after one of the most thrilling trips in the history of railroading. A number of fugitives came along. The latter lost all their property and stood up to their necks in water to escape the heat. Two large lumbering outfits are known to have been burned. Of two hundred drivers and bushmen only thirty are known to have reached safety. The remainder doubtless are strugg ing in the woods for their lives. The total property losr is estimated at one million dollars.

**The Committee Reports Against Clark.**

By telegraph to the Observer

Washington, April 24.—The Committee on Privileges and Elections to-day submitted their report, unanimously finding the election of Senator Clark the result of a corrupt use of money and recommending that his seat be declared vacant.

**The Carter Case.**

The Supreme Court to-day decided to dismiss appeal of Capt Carter. He must serve the sentence.

**What It Costs England.**

By cable to the Observer.

London, April 24.

Officials of the treasury estimate the cost of the war in South Africa if it closes within three months, at six hundred and fifty million dollars.

The Prince of Wales with a large party is arranging for a yachting tour around the Irish coast. They will visit Belfast, Westport, Galway, Clove Island. The Prince and Princess will also likely be present at the Punchestown races in the fall.

**The Kentucky Republican Fugitives.**

By telegraph to the Observer.

Frankfort, April 24.—Taylor will return to Kentucky to face his accusers and demand an immediate trial on his indictment. This was announced in a telegram received from Taylor last night as was also the determination of the usurping Governor not to take advantage of the offer of Governor Roosevelt to protect him in the event a demand for him was made by Gov. Beckham. Taylor decided upon this course upon advice of ex Gov. Bradley and other Kentuckians who pledged themselves to defend him and force a fair and speedy trial. Jim and Jerry Howard accused of the murder of Goebel will never be taken alive. There was an attempt to capture them last night but the deputies who had the warrants beat a hasty retreat as the Howards were intrenched in the mountains and surrounded by over one hundred feudists who declared the accused should never be taken alive. Capt. Powers, brother of the Secretary of State, who is indicted was discovered in a hut in the mountains of Bell county yesterday guarded by ten mountain men. His position is impregnable and he cannot be arrested.

**Free to Inventors.**

The experience of C. A. Snow & Co. in obtaining more than 20,000 patents for inventors has enabled them to helpfully answer many questions relating to the protection of intellectual property. This they have done in a pamphlet treating briefly of United States and foreign patents with cost of same, and how to procure them; trade marks, designs, caveats, infringements, decisions in leading patent cases, etc., etc.

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## The Relief of Wepener Only an Incident.

### Roberts's Object is to Surround All the Boers.

### Pole-Carew Defeats Boers.

Dewet's Dorp Occupied by British---Pennsylvania Convention Endorses Quay—Fatal Fire in New York—The Claims Against Turkey.

**Endorse Quay.**

By telegraph to the Observer.

Harrisburg, Pa., April 25.—The Republican State Convention to-day endorsed Senator Quay and said great wrong had been done him. E. E Hardenburg was nominated for auditor general and Galusha A. Grow and R. H. Fouderer for congressmen at large.

**Fatal Fire in New York.**

By telegraph to the Observer.

New York, April 25.---A six story tenement on Forsythe street was burned this morning. Three children were killed, three severely injured, and a number of others carried through the flames.

**The Kentucky Election Case.**

By telegraph to the Observer.

Frankfort, April 25.---Gov. Bradley, the leading counsel for Taylor, goes to Washington to-night to argue the Governorship contest case in the supreme court Monday. Taylor's opponents assert that the relations of Taylor and Bradley are near the point of an open rupture.

**The Plague.**

By telegraph to the Observer.

Washington, April 25.—The Surgeon-General of the Marine hospital received a report from Surgeon Carmichael, at Honolulu, dated April 9th, in which it is stated that there has been but one new case of plague since his last report, the victim being a white girl and the case fatal. Carmichael reports the prospects encouraging, only one detention camp being open.

**The Claims Against Turkey.**

By cable to the Observer:

Constantinople, April 25.—In view of the steps taken by the United States in regard to the claims arising out of the Armenian massacre the embassies of Great Britain, France, Austria, Italy and Germany have asked their governments for instructions in similar cases.

**224 Houses Blown Up.**

By cable to the Observer

Yokohoma, April 25.—By the explosion of a powder magazine at Kam Shau, China, recently, 224 houses were demolished and 80 persons killed. A telegram received from Pekin says that Shet Ping, leader of the reform party has been sentenced to servitude for life.

**Dalgetty Still Bottled Up.**

By cable to the Observer.

Mazru, Tuesday, April 24.—On breaking bivouac this morning Generals Brabant and Hart discovered that the Boers, who had fallen back yesterday toward Wepener, had advanced during the night several miles nearer to Starus's farm, a favorable position for resistance. Dalgetty was severely attacked this morning by six guns, probably with the intention of preventing him from assisting the relief column. It seemed yesterday that Dalgetty had been practically relieved, but the offensive attitude of the Boers this morning shows that the idea was erroneous.

**British Seem to be Getting Boers in a Corner.**

By cable to the Observer.

London, April 25.—The British operations east of Bloemfontein increase in importance with each day's news. What at first appeared a diversion for the relief of Wepener, has developed into an operation on a large scale. The saving of the garrison of Wepener has become only an incident to a general movement having for its object the envelopment of all the Boers on Roberts's flank and which will probably merge into a general advance on Kroonstadt before it is finished. A cordon is now being stretched around the Boers on three sides. The British have about forty thousand men, the Boers not over fifteen thousand, so they must move quickly in order to escape being surrounded. One line of retreat, viz: by Ladybrand, yet remains open. Escape or capture should be determined on in the next few days. The re-ult will have an important bearing on the war.

**Dewet's Dorp Occupied.**

Roberts cables that Chermside occupied Dewet's dorp this morning.

British Repulsed in Skirmish.

Kroomstadt, April 25.—Sharp skirmishing occurred Saturday and resulted in the British force in the vicinity of Boshof retreating. The British left fifteen dead and three wounded on the field. The Boers captured ten prisoners.

**British Occupied Wepener?**

Herschel, April 25.—It is reported that the British have occupied Wepener unopposed. It is also said the Boers were unable to escape north and that great events are expected.

**Pole-Carews Defeats Boers.**

Bloemfontein, April 25.—General Pole-Carew's division reached Roodkop yesterday without casualties. Its advance was covered with cavalry and horse artillery which drove back the enemy with heavy loss, they leaving their dead on the ground. The mounted troops halted for the night at Grootfontein, this morning crossing the Modder river at Valsbank.

**Cumberland Graduates in Medicine.**

The following Cumberland boys successfully passed their examinations at the University College of Medicine, Richmond, and on Monday were given their diplomas and are now full fledged M. D's:

Leslie Evans (who was president of his class, consisting of nearly 90 members), Neill MacRae, Weyman Melvin (Populi) and Edgar Thaggard, (Cedar Creek).


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| Spirits | 45½ |
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| Flour—1st pat., sack, | $2.40@$2.65 |
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| Hides—dry—per lb. | 8@10 |
| " —green—per lb. | 5 |
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| Bacon—hog round per lb | 8 |
| " —ham | 10 |
| " —sides— | 8½ |
| " —shoulders— | 8 |
| Oats—32 lbs per bushel | 45 |
| Peas—clay | 75 |
| " —mixed | 80a85 |
| " —white, | 90@125 |
| Meal—bolted—46 lbs per bushel | 55@60 |
| " —unbolted—48 lbs per bushel | 50@55 |
| Corn—old—56 lbs per bushel | 55a60 |
| Onions—select—per bushel | 1.00a1.25 |
| Lard—N. C. | 8@9 |
| Tallow | 4 |
| Ducks | 20@25 |
| Hens—per head | 22½@25 |
| Roosters—per head | 18 a 20 |
| Turkeys—per lb | 8a9 |
| Guineas | none |
| Geese | 25 a 30 |
| Country Butter | 25 |
| Hams | 12a13 |
| Honey—strained—per lb | 8c |
| Eggs, | 10 |
| Feathers—new | 35 a 40 |
| Potatoes—Irish | 1.00a1.25 |
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The pretty, modern-built house on St. James's Square, six rooms, gas and water all through house, and all conveniences and modern improvements. Apply to MRS. W. B. HANCOCK, 1925 Garrett Avenue, Baltimore, Md.


## BIDS.

All parties wishing to make estimates for the Confederate monument, soon to be erected by the Cumberland County Monument Association, will please send designs before Friday, April 27th, as a selection of the monument will be made at that time. Address
MRS. A. S. HUSKE,
Sec'y Monument Association,
Fayetteville, N. C.


## Valuable Farm Lands For Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Cumberland county, rendered April 25th, 1900, in the special proceedings, entitled D. G. McLellan, Executor of Jerry Dawson, deceased, *versus* R. C. Dawson, Minnie Elliott and Mary Ann Elliot, the undersigned will offer for sale to the highest bidder for *cash* at the Market House in the City of Fayetteville, N. C., the following lands, situated in Black River township in said county, to-wit:

All the lands owned by the late Jerry Dawson at the time of his death, and as described in his last will and testament, Book of Wills F, page 15 as follows, to-wit: All that tract or parcel of land lying on both sides of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company, containing about 130 acres.

Time of sale, Saturday, May 26th, 1900 at 12 noon.

N. A. SINCLAIR,
H. L. COOK,
Commissioners.

## Copartnership Notice.

The undersigned have this day formed a copartnership in the drug business under the name and style of H. R. Horne & Sons.

Possessing unusual facilities and determined to establish a Model Pharmacy, they solicit a liberal share of patronage.

H. R. HORNE,
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April 7, 1900.

Referring to the above announcement, the undersigned returns sincere thanks for the generous confidence and patronage which he has received during the past 35 years, and bespeaks for the new firm a continuance of the same.

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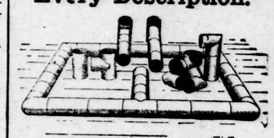

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## Notice!

### MORTGAGE SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale in a certain mortgage deed, executed by Neill Monds and wife, Martha Monds, to T. F. Sanders, on the 27th day of December, 1890, and duly registered in Book S, No. 4, on page 27 of the records of Cumberland county, I shall sell, at public auction, for cash, at the Court House door in Fayetteville, N. C., on

**Saturday, 26th Day of May, 1900,**

the lands therein described, to-wit:

1st tract of 7 acres as is shown by deed from A. J. Taylor and wife to N. H. Monds of January 15 1885, recorded in Book F, No. 4, page 324, bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake and gum pointers in the edge of Mingo in Mond's lower line, runs thence with his line *N* 65 *W* 10 chains to a stake in a line known as the John Adams line; thence nearly west with a small branch to a lightwood stake; thence *S-E* to a red oak; thence up Mingo swamp to the beginning.

2nd tract of 4 acres as is shown by deed from A. J. Taylor and others to Neill Monds of December 10, 1875; recorded in Book F, No. 4, on page 325, bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake and pine tree near the fence; thence *S* 37 *E* 16 poles to a hickory; thence *S* 70 *W* 18 poles to the branch; thence the corner of the branch 16 poles to a gum and pointers in the branch; thence *N* 27 *E* to a post oak; thence *E* 25 poles to the beginning.

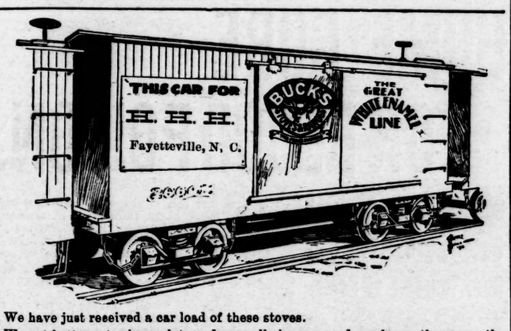
3rd tract of 6¼ acres as is shown by a deed from James M. Wade to Neill Monds of December 17, 1880, recorded in Book F, No. 4, on page 3?3, bounded as follows: Beginning at a stake in the run of a branch; then up said branch 25 poles to a stake in said branch; then *S* with fence 44 poles to a stake near a spring; then *E* 29 poles to a red oak; then *N* 33 poles to the beginning

4th tract of 1 acre as is shown by a deed from Nancy Taylor and others to Neill Monds of December 13 1887, recorded in Book F, No. 4, on page 326, bounded as follows: Beginning at a post oak at the lot, Neill Monds' corner, then with said Monds' fence *N* 12¼ poles to a red oak; then *W* 12¼ poles to a stake; then *S* 12¼ poles to a stake in Neill Monds' line; then with his fence line to the beginning. See records of Cumberland county for above references.

This April 21st, 1900.

T. F. SANDERS, Mortgagee.
Cooper & Oates, Atty's.



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If you desire to buy on long time, come early and see us, as

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We make a specialty of nice BUGGY HARNESS, and have a nice lot of Double and Single Wagon Harness, Strap Goods, Bridles and Saddles.

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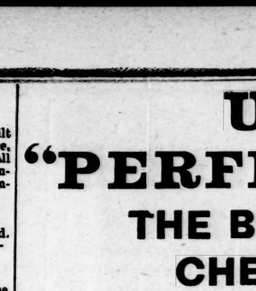

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often heads the news announcement of a fire. What's happening daily may happen to you. A total loss is a possibility to be dreaded and avoided. You can be secured when protected with a policy issued by one of our Companies, which never fails to adjust losses squarely and promptly.

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## The South Side
## Fruit Carriers and Baskets
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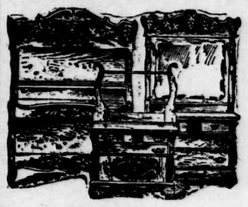

It is not my intention to sell my Furniture by large attractive advertisements. I simply drop in an advertisement to remind you that

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is the place to get all kind of new, latest designed Furniture at the very lowest prices. I invite you to call when you are wanting anything in my line, and I feel sure that the prices and quality will sell the goods.

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Gun and Rifle Powder direct from the Magazine and Shot from the Factory.

Send for catalogue and price-list of the above goods.

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in malarial districts Tutt's Pills are indispensible, they keep the system in perfect order and are

## an absolute cure

for sick headache, indigestion, malaria, torpid liver, constipation and all bilious diseases.

## Tutt's Liver Pills

**Closing of Graded School.**

The graded School closed Thursday for the session. Superintendent Hill and the rest of the faculty deserve the thanks of the community for very generously teaching the past two weeks without pay, the appropriation having been exhausted two weeks ago.

**Married in Philadelphia.**

Miss Mary Gainey, daughter of our countyman, Mr. J. A. Gainey, was married in Philadelphia last week to Mr. Rogers, of Clio, S. C. Miss Gainey, who is known to many of our readers, and is a charming young lady, went to Philadelphia six months ago to study for a trained nurse.

**The Criminal Court Judgeship.**

We heard the name of I. A. Murchison, Esq., spoken of very favorably Wednesday in connection with the Criminal Court Judgeship. Every county in the district has a candidate, and if Mr. Murchison allows his name to be considered, the measure will be full.

**Died in 71st.**

Mr. A. C. McDonald died very suddenly at his home in Seventy-First township Wednesday night, age 81 years.

Mr. McDonald went to bed that night in his usual good health, having been working on his farm all day. Thursday morning he was found dead in bed. The deceased leaves two children, Mr. William McDonald and Mrs. Houston Holmes. He served four years in the Civil war, being a member of Company I, Fifty-first North Carolina.

The funeral took place Friday morning at 11 o'clock from McPherson church.

**Williams-Chestnutt.**

The home of Mr. C. H. Williams, on Ramsey street, was the scene Wednesday of a quiet, but beautiful, marriage ceremony. Mr. Thos. M. Chesnutt, of Tipton, Ga., being united in marriage, by Rev. W. L. Cunninggim, to Miss Janie Williams, the accomplished young daughter of the house.

The ceremony took place at 9.30 o'clock, after which a reception was given, only relatives and a few neighbors being present.

Mr. and Mrs. Chesnutt left on the midnight train for their future home in Georgia with the hearty God speed of all present.

**At the Newbern Fair.**

A correspondent writing of the Newbern Fair says:

One of the most charming features of the parade, were the carts and phætons decorated with flowers, each driven by a young girl dressed in the same colors, and looking even more lovely than the flowers themselves.

These floats were Miss Janie Stewart, accompanied by Miss Fannie Cutler, yellow roses.

Miss Margaret Bryan, accompanied by Miss Isabelle Bryan and two young girls, white and pink flowers.

Miss Mary Moore, accompanied by Misses Annie Purnell, Pearl McMillan and Elizabeth Ellis, white and pink flowers.

**Death of Miss Mary O'Brien.**

Miss Mary O'Brien, sister of Rev. Father O'Brien, of the Catholic church of this city, died Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Miss O'Brien was born in Baltimore in 1877, and attended school there. She afterwards went with her mother to Staunton, Va., where she graduated from the Desmore Business College. Here her mother died. Last February, a year ago, she came here with her brother and sister, Miss Kate O'Brien, the only members of the family now left.

Miss O'Brien made a number of warm friends during her short residence here who will feel deeply her untimely death.

The funeral took place Saturday at 10 o'clock a. m. from the Catholic church.

**Grand Lodge K of P.**

The State Grand Lodge of Knights of Pythias convenes in Durham on Tuesday of next week. Representative members of the order from all over North Carolina will be present. Durham Lodge No. 31 proposes to extend every courtesy and greeting to the Grand Lodge. A correspondent says: The upper floor of the handsome Cheek building has been secured and tastefully arranged as a hall, banquet and other rooms, as are necessary for preserving the property of the lodge and otherwise securing the largest possible comfort and convenience. A reception will be given on Tuesday evening, April 24th. The Supreme Chancellor, Mr. Thos. G. Sample, of Alleghany, Pa; the Grand Chancellor, Col. W. J. Woodward, of Wilmington, N. C., and Chancellor Commander, Mr. W. M. Yearby, of Durham, N. C., will be in the receiving party. Mr. Jas. H. Southgate, Deputy Grand Chancellor, will act as master of ceremonies. On Wednesday morning, 25th instant, Mr. W. T. Pearson will, in behalf of the lodge and city, deliver the address of welcome. On Thursday night the Durham Choral Society expects to give a concert complimentary to the Grand Lodge. Pythian headquarters will be at Hotel Carolina during the session.

**The Appetite of a Goat**

Is envied by all poor dyspeptics whose Stomach and Liver are out of order. All such should know that Dr. King's New Life Pills, the wonderful Stomach and Liver Remedy, gives a splendid appetite, sound digestion and a regular bodily habit that insures perfect health and great energy. Only 25c. at B. E. Sedberry & Son's drug store.

**The Presbytery.**

Wednesday afternoon Mr. Lawrence L. Hursey, of Bethel church, was examined critically and taken under the care of the Presbytery as a candidate for the ministry.

It was ordered that a colporteur be put in the field as soon as possible.

Rev. W. L. Cunninggim was invited to sit in the body as a visiting brother, and Rev. T. H. Law, D. D., of Spartanburg, S. C., as a corresponding member.

A popular meeting in the interest of foreign missions was held at night and Rev. W. C. Buchanan, of Takamatsu, Japan, made a capital address, and a collection for the cause was made that amounted to $32.

Calls from St. Paul's and Mt. Tabor churches, for the pastoral services of Rev. J. P. McMillan, D. D., were made and referred to a committee to report.

Mr. J. A. McAllister, Treasurer, submitted his report, which was ordered to be printed in the appendix to the minutes.

A special committee was appointed to recommend a plan for paying off a debt that rests on Red Springs Seminary, consisting of Messrs. Peter McRae, L. Shaw, J. M. McIver, J. W. McLauchlin and Rev. H. G. Hill, D. D.

Rev. Dr. Thomas H. Law, agent of the American Bible Society, made an address in behalf of the cause.

Rev. Dr. H. G. Hill made the report of the committee on home missions. Rev. W. R. Coppedge and Rev. R. W. Hines made addresses on the work. Rev. P. R. Law made the report on general evangelization and made an address thereon. These reports were docketed to be called up at any time.

Rev. W. C. Buchanan, the Moderator, leaves to-night on the northbound vestibule for New York to represent Japan in the International conference there in the interest of foreign missions.

**Marriages in Wilmington.**

Two marriages were celebrated in Wilmington Wednesday, in which the people of Fayetteville are much interested.

From the Messenger we take the following extracts:

The home of Mrs. James Fairfax Payne, 108 South Fourth street, was the scene of a lovely wedding at 12 o'clock noon Wednesday when her daughter, Miss Fairinda Washington Payne, was united in marriage to Cameron Farquhar MacRae, Esq., of Raleigh. The parlor and other apartments of the residence were decorated with especial taste, smilax, palms and lillies predominating. Only the families and a few intimate friends were in attendance.

The groom, accompanied by his brother, Mr. James C. MacRae, Jr., as best man, entered from the hallway and joined the bride at the altar, where Rev. Robert Strange, D. D., rector of St. James Episcopal church, performed the marriage service.

The costumes of the bride and maid of honor were especially pretty. The bride wore an exquisite gown of white crepe de chene, en train, trimmed in tule and applique. Her flowers were a lovely bouquet of bride's roses.

Miss Elizabeth Payne, sister of the bride, as maid of honor, was attired in a lovely costume of pale lavendor mousseline de soie and carried Marchel Neil roses.

The ushers were Mr. Samuel Hinsdale, of Raleigh; Mr. James Fuller, of Durham; Mr. Charles E. Taylor, Mr. George D. Crow, Mr. J. VanB. Metts and Ed. S. Battle, Esq., of Wilmington.

Miss Kate DeRosset, of this city, and Mr. Charles A. Scott, of Graham, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at 6 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in St. James' Episcopal church, the rector, Rev. Robert Strange, D. D., officiating. There was a large and fashionable audience and the decorations and ceremonies were distinguished for elegance and simplicity.

There was a tasteful arrangement of Easter lillies, ferns and palms about the chancel and altar, and on the reredos were a number of candelabra with numerous brightly burning candles.

The ushers led the approach to the altar. They were Mr. Will Sidney, of Salisbury; Mr. J. H. Holt, of Burlington; Mr. E. H. Williams, of Fayetteville; Mr. G. L. Myers, of Richmond; Mr. R. N. Nash and Mr. F. A. DeRosset, of Wilmington.

Following the ushers came the maid of honor, Miss Lizzie Peck. She was gowned in a lovely costume of Nile green albatros with hat to match, and carried pink carnations.

The bride came down the aisle leaning on the arm of her father. She was attired in a costume of silver gray crepe de chene, trimmed with handsome lace and wore a hat to match. She carried an exquisite bouquet of bride's roses and lillies of the valley.

The groom and best man, Mr. H. W. Scott, of Graham, entered the church from the vestry and joined the bridal party at the altar. After the ceremony was performed they drove to the depot, where Mr. and Mrs. Scott left on the 6:50 train for a tour of places of interest north. They will make their future home in Graham, where Mr. Scott holds the responsible position of cashier in the National Bank of Alamance.

### The Washington Presbyterians.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Washington, April 20.—The Presbyterian Ministers here have become interested in the agitation for a shorter Church Creed. A special meeting of Washington City Presbytery is called for May 7 for the purpose of preparing an overture on the subject to be presented to the General Assembly.

### DOES IT PAY TO BUY CHEAP?

A cheap remedy for coughs and colds is all right, but you want something that will relieve and cure the more severe and dangerous results of throat and lung troubles. What shall you do? Go to a warmer and more regular climate? Yes, if possible; if not possible for you, then in either case take the ONLY remedy that has been introduced in all civilized countries with success in severe throat and lung troubles, "Boschee's German Syrup." It is not only heals and stimulates the tissues to destroy the germ disease, but allays inflammation, causes easy expectoration, gives a night's rest, and cures the patient. Try ONE bottle. Recommended many years by all druggists in the world. For sale by B. E. Sedberry & Sons.

One Minute Cough Cure, cures
That is what it was made for.

### Hodgson Calls for Aid.

By cable to the Observer.

Accra, April 19.—News has been received from Sir Frederick Hodgson that Kumassi is closely invested and that the situation is becoming acute. He asks that available troops be sent immediately and adds that the matter will assume a serious phase if relief is delayed.

### The Crops.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Cincinnati, April 19.—Price Current says this has been a favorable week for crops, with beneficial rains. The wheat crop position is unchanged. Oats are doing well and corn planting progressing favorably.

### Filipinos as Guerrilas.

By cable to the Observer.

Manila, April 19.—The military commission sitting at Calamba considering the cases of Filipinos accused of brigandage have found three natives guilty and sentenced them to fifteen years imprisonment. These are the first convictions of persons charged with guerrilla warefare.

### Relics of Battle of Manila.

By telegraph to the Observer.

New York, April 19.—The American Bark Adolph Obrig arrived to-day from Hong Kong. She brings a number of cases of war curios including the guns, shot and mast of the Spanish Man of War Don Juan De Austria, captured by Admiral Dewey. These relics were shipped by Lieut. Hobson. The mast will be presented to his native town in Alabama and be erected there.

### Italy's Attitude.

By cable to the Observer.

Rome, April 19.—The reports that Italian Consul General Branchi cabled the Minister of Foreign Affairs, that the attitude of the American authorities in the strike at Croton Dam is absolutely correct. The Italian government has directed the Consul General to inform the strikers that it will not interfere if disorder on their part continues. Regrets have been expressed to the American Embassador over the killing of Douglass.

### The Croton Strike.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Croton, April 19.—Sheriff Malloy, escorted by a troop of cavalry, has left for the Italian settlement to arrest thirty strikers charged with inciting a riot. The strikers have turned against Rotella, their leader. They say he went over to the contractors and furnished information that enabled the sheriff to get the warrants.

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Twelve of the strikers were arrested, including Rotella, the leader.

### The United States and Turkey.

By cable to the Observer:

London, April 19.—Keen interest is manifested here over the threatened action of the United States against Turkey, particularly in view of the Sultan's recalcitrancy in connection with the increase of customs duties. A fourth colective note of the embassies of objections to the increase without previous understanding with the powers was handed to the Turkish Government yesterday, but Turkey is maintaining such a firm attitude that the suspicion is growing that some covert act is frustrating the effect of the note.

### Another Bridge Jumper.

By telegraph to the Observer.

New York, June 20.—Maria Dinse, residing in Brooklyn, jumped from the bridge this afternoon and was rescued and is at the hospital.

### The Famine in India.

By cable to the Observer.

Calcutta, April 20.—The famine in India is on the increase, especially in the districts of Bombay and Rajaputana. Five and a half millions are now on the relief lists.

### New York State Convention.

By telegraph to the Observer.

New York, April 20.—The Democratic State Committee met to-day and decided to call the State Convention to meet in the academy of music, this city, June 5th.

### Censured by Miss Barton.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Chicago, April 20.—Miss Clara Barton, wires from Washington that the men who took up arms for the Boers have practiced a gross deception upon her and broke their pledge and violated her confidence which they sought.

### The Ashantee Trouble.

By cable to the Observer

Lagos, Africa, April 20—Three hundred Nigerian troops have been dispatched overland to the Gaman country, northeast of Ashantee and one hundred and fifty other troops are proceeding from the Gold Coast. There are unconfirmed rumors here of trouble with the French at Meke, in the neighborhood of the Dahomey frontier.

### Cape Town News.

By cable to the Observer.

London, April 19.—A Boer proclamation was issued at Cape Town today allowing trading between Cape Colony and the occupied portions of the Orange Free State. Two Germans recently arrived at Cape Town were given one year's imprisonment for having suspicious possession of one hundred rifles and six hundred cartridges.

### To Blow Up The Town.

It is again reported here with added emphasis that the Boers will blow up the Johannesburg mines. The Natal Mercury says elaborate preparations have been made for that purpose.

### Boers at Ladysmith Active.

A Ladysmith despatch says that the Boers are much disconcerted at the present condition of affairs. Their fortifications and forces numbering about fifteen thousand are spread over ridges in contemplation of the British advance through Waschbunk Valley, north of Ladysmith, which has not been occupied. The Boer patriots are very active and constantly laying traps.

### To Intercept Carrington.

Gen. Carrington has arrived at Beira, Portuguese East Africa. It will take weeks for Carrington to concentrate his forces on the borders of the Transvaal or approach Mafeking. According to a rumor in circulation at Lorenzo Marquez a Boer force has been sent to intercept Carrington, but it is not thought of sufficient strength to cause anxiety.

### Buller Was Indifferent.

Manchester, April 19.—The Guardian says that when it was decided to publish Lord Roberts's criticism of Buller's operations in Natal, Buller was informed of the tenor of the despatches and took no notice of the despatches and made no response.

### Roberts Fighting His Way North.

By cable to the Observer.

London, April 20th.—It is believed that General Roberts has begun the long expected march to Pretoria. His troops are fighting the Boers north of Karee siding fifteen miles north of Bloemfontein. The British infantry hold a strong position on the river, intrenched near the dam. They are strongly supported by artillery. Scouts report the Boers south of Bloemfontein retreating.

### To Welcome Gatacre.

Lady Gatacre leaves tomorrow for Madeira, where she will meet her husband, the General sent back to England for his failures.

### A Dutch Leader Captured.

Cape Town, April 20th.—Rev. Vorster, a leader of the Dutch, has been captured at Burghers Dorp and there is great satisfaction among the Loyalists. He is accused of trying to inflame the Dutch population against the British.

### A Stop To All War News.

The censor has notified all correspondents that nothing will be allowed to go through. This is taken to mean that Roberts's advance has begun, and nothing will be heard from it till Roberts sees fit to allow news to come through.

### The United States Claims.

By cable to the Observer.

Constantinople, April 20.—The firm attitude of the United States regarding the claims for American losses in Armenia are entirely approved in political and commercial circles.

### Bank Teller Confesses to Wholesale Robbery.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Toranto, April 20.—Geo. W. Wilson, the paying teller of the Merchants Bank, had reported to the manager that a package of ten thousand dollars had been stolen from his compartment. Detectives inspected Wilson's books and found two thousand short. He then confessed that he systematically stole since November, but declined to tell what became of the ten thousand package, which it is believed he handed to a confederate.


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### A LIFE AND DEATH FIGHT.

Mr. W. A. Hines of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in Consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which completely cured me. I would not be without it even if it cost $5 00 a bottle. Hundreds have used it on my recommendation and all say it never fails to cure Throat, Chest and Lung troubles." Regular size 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at B. E. Sedberry & Son's Drug Store.


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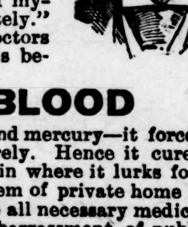
There is not the slightest doubt that the doctors do more harm than good in treating Contagious Blood Poison; many victims of this loathsome disease would be much better off to-day if they had never allowed themselves to be dosed on mercury and potash, the only remedies which the doctors ever give for blood poison.

The doctors are wholly unable to get rid of this vile poison, and only attempt to heal up the outward appearance of the disease—the sores and eruptions. This they do by driving the poison into the system, and endeavor to keep it shut in with their constant doses of potash and mercury. The mouth and throat and other delicate parts then break out into sores, and the fight is continued indefinitely, the drugs doing the system more damage than the disease itself.

Mr. H. L. Myers, 100 Mulberry St., Newark, N. J., says: "I had spent a hundred dollars with the doctors, when I realized that they could do me no good. I had large spots all over my body, and these soon broke out into running sores, and I endured all the suffering which this vile disease produces. I decided to try S. S. S. as a last resort, and was soon greatly improved. I followed closely your 'Directions for Self-Treatment,' and the large splotches on my chest began to grow paler and smaller, and before long disappeared entirely. I was soon cured perfectly and my skin has been as clear as glass ever since. I cured myself at home, after the doctors had failed completely."



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### Postoffice Burglars.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Savannah, N. Y., April 20—Burglars blew open the postoffice safe early this morning, securing three hundred in cash and four hundred and eighty dollars in stamps.

### The Croton Strike.

By cable to the Observer.

Croton, April 20.—All is quiet here today. No more strikers have returned to work and it looks as if the contractors will be unable to get men to fill their places. Gen. Roe believes there will be no further trouble and will probably arrange for an early departure of the troops. Many of these have taken tonsilitis on account on the exposure of camp life.

### England's Troubles Increasing.

By cable to the Observer.

Accra, April 20—Governor Hodgson telegraphs from Kumassi that other tribes are rising and again asks for assistance. The Bekwais, who have been loyal to the British were attacked by Ashantes and five hundred of them killed. It is feared they will be compelled to join the other rebellious tribes.

### The Flood Has Become a Calamity.

By telegraph to the Observer.

New Orleans, April 20.—The flood is now considered to have reached the proportions of a calamity. There are now here not less than five hundred waterbound travellers unable to return home. Partial returns of damage run into the millions. The streams are still rising and rains continue and the tie up is complete on the Illinois Central and the Yazoo and Mississipi Valley railroads. The New Orleans and Northwestern has been unable to move trains since Monday and doesn't know when they will be able to resume. The East Louisiana and Mobile and Ohio is paralyized and business is at a standstill on account of a lack of mails. Four persons were drowned near Meridian and two near Hattiesburg, Miss. The Chickasaw is raging near Enterprise, and the Academy and other buildings demolished.

### Taylor Indicted—A Stormy Scene.

By telegraph to the Observer.

Louisville, April 20.—Information has been received here that "Gov." Taylor has been indicted as an accessory before the fact for the murder of Mr. Goebel. The indictment was found yesterday by the Franklin county grand jury after a stormy scene, which came near resulting in a personal difficulty between Robert Sutter, the Democratic foreman of the jury, and W. B. George, one of the two Republican members. The vote of the grand jury stood ten to two for indictment, a strict party vote. After the grand jury had handed in its indictment they were ordered to retire. Judge Cantrell then handed to the clerk the indictments of Golden and Davis. The indictment of Taylor was not then given out.

### Glorious News

Comes from Dr. D. B. Cargile, of Washita, I. T. He writes: "Four bottles of Electric Bitters has cured Mrs. Brewer of scrofula, which had caused her great suffering for years. Terrible sores would break out on her head and face, and the best doctors could give no help; but her cure is complete and her health is excellent." This shows what thousands have proved,—that Electric Bitters is the best blood purifier known. It's the supreme remedy for eczema, tetter, salt rheum, ulcers, boils and running sores. It stimulates liver, kidneys and bowels, expels poisons, helps digestion, builds up the strength. Only 50 cents. Sold by B. E. Sedberry & Son, druggists. Guaranteed.

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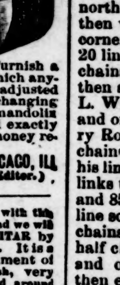

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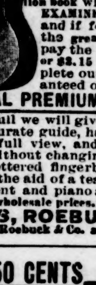

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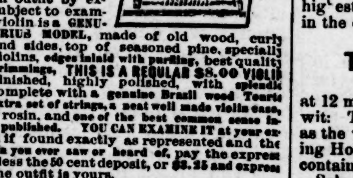

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### List of Paid and Errors in List of Sheriff's Sale for Taxes.

The following persons have paid their County and State taxes on the lands advertised for sale by the Sheriff to satisfy same:

CROSS CREEK TOWNSHIP.

| | |
|---|---|
| Broadfoot, Rob, 1 lot res Moore st | $ 7 68 |
| Buckingham, H L, est., 1 lot Robinson street | 4 05 |
| Butler, Mrs E R, 1 lot res Hillsboro | 6 80 |
| Carroll, Mrs R W, 150 ac Wright land | 10 30 |
| Council, Emma J, vac North street | 2 40 |
| Cuyler, Rev P L, 2 lots vac Gillespie | 6 22 |
| Deming, G S, res Winslow street | 4 15 |
| Lockamy, Mrs A M, res Mumford and imp Hockaday House | 14 75 |
| Scurlock, G C, imp Chatham and imp German street | 12 30 |
| Sheppard, Mrs C I, res Haymount | 8 80 |
| Sheppard, Elija, vac Rowan street; Frink Alley; Hay st.; imp Ann street; imp Hillsboro street; imp Rowan; imp Moore | 27 42 |
| Troy, Mrs M A, res B street | 4 60 |
| Walker, Castelia, 11 acres Murchison road | 3 50 |
| Williams, E N, 1½ acres Matthews' Ferry road; res Blount st; imp Adams; imp Mumford street | 20 64 |
| Johnson, Joel C, store 8, Nimocks | 20 55 |
| Webb, Martha, res Arsenal lot | 2 55 |

ERROR.

N A Sinclair paid his taxes on December 15th, 1899, and the advertisement as to him was an oversight of the Sheriff's office

ADDITIONAL
to be added to sale:

Davis & Co., 5 acres Grove street.

SEVENTY FIRST TOWNSHIP.

| | |
|---|---|
| Kivett, H J, 238 acres | $ 5 57 |
| McArthur, J A, 148 acres res | 18 08 |
| McIntyre, Mrs S J, 146 acres, res | 2 97 |
| Buie, Neill T, 10 acres res | 8 24 |

ROCKFISH TOWNSHIP.

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|---|---|
| Brown, Hector, 83 acres gaulberry | 3 82 |
| J C Culbreth, 51 acres res; 50 acres Gillis branch | error |
| Johnson, Mary, 1 lot Hope Mills | 2 40 |
| McPhail Bros. 25 acres Green land; 2 lots Hope Mills | 14 60 |
| Ratley, G T, 75 acres Lockamy land; 8½ acres Gulley land | 1 29 |
| McLoud, Mrs Abigail, 106 ac res (error) | 6 80 |

PEARCE'S MILL.

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|---|---|
| Baxley, Mrs M A, ½ acres near Fair Ground | 3 18 |
| Bryant, Leon, 1 lot | 3 61 |
| Howell, E D, 1 lot near Fair Ground; 64 acres Sand Hill | 8 11 |
| Leavy, Celia Ann, 37 ac Dark Branch | 4 17 |
| McCaskill, A L, 200 Holly Brook | error |

BEAVER DAM TOWNSHIP.

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|---|---|
| Carter, D L, 400 acres, Gaulberry | 4 90 |
| Cashwell, W H, agt for Andrew McCameron, 50 acres res | 4 33 |
| Hall, J W, 37 acres res | |
| Hall, Enoch, agt for Hula A, 30 ac res | 1 78 |
| do do do Bramble, 30 ac Hall land | 1 61 |
| McDaniel, Marshal, ag't Ann Hinton, 77 acres, res, | 1 98 |
| Smith, M J S, 295 acres, res | 1 76 |
| Smith, M J, ag't for M J Fowler, 35 acres, res | 1 97 |
| Simmons, A J, 15 acres res | 4 13 |
| do D H, 180 acres Bryant land | 2 26 |
| do E O, 250 acres residence | 5 17 |
| Simpson, G T, ag't McLamb Bros, 225 acres Turnfall | 2 23 |

CEDAR CREEK TOWNSHIP.

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|---|---|
| Fisher, Mrs H C, 20 ac Chas Evans | $2 94 |
| Bryant, Mrs Lucy, 27 acres land | 2 12 |
| Downing, Mrs Nancy, 176 acres res | 6 80 |
| Godwin, Geo, 119 acres res | 7 43 |

GRAY'S CREEK TOWNSHIP.

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|---|---|
| Evans, S M, 1070 acres home place (fence tax) | 14 07 |
| Marsh, Mrs J R, 155 ac Cain land | 2 20 |
| Marsh, Mrs J R, 53 acres Davis land; 133 acres Matthew's land, | 9 90 |

CARVER'S CREEK TOWNSHIP.

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|---|---|
| Beasley, B F, 108 acres Tom Taylor land | 5 42 |
| Cameron, H D, 297 acres res | 11 00 |
| Green, Miss A C, 80 acres Strickland land | 3 80 |
| Tomlinson, Mrs W H, ½ acre Eureka Springs | 1 41 |
| Tillinghast, W A, 185 ac Murchison road | 10 60 |

FLEA HILL TOWNSHIP.

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|---|---|
| Carter, Alex., 62 acres Little Creek; 120 acres Murphy swamp | 4 63 |
| Carter, S F V, 92 acres Carter; 79 acres Godwin | 3 50 |
| Crumpler, T I, 12 acres, res | 1 99 |
| Fisher, Mrs H C, 40 acres Lilly | 4 82 |
| Murphy, Alex, 120 acres Buie land | 15 12 |
| Rone, L R, 40 acres Derome land | 3 54 |
| Sessoms, Alex, Sr, 784 ac Stephen land | 42 90 |
| Talbot, G F, 162 acres res; 55 acres Smith land; 156 acres McMillan | 23 00 |
| Bain, Miss L A, 12 acres McMillan | 1 46 |
| McKoy, Peter, 27 acres res | 1 98 |
| Williams, D M, 153 acres, res | 6 32 |

NORTH CAROLINA, Cumberland County. } In the Superior Court, April 7, 1900.

Beaver Creek and Bluff Mills
*vs.*
A. A. Harrington, Jr., and wife.
—Notice of Commissioner's Sale.

By virtue of the power and authority vested in me by a decree of the Superior Court of Cumberland county, entered at February term, 1900, in the above entitled action, I will offer for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder for cash, at the Market House in Fayetteville, on

**May 19th, 1900,**

at 12 o'clock noon, the land hereinafter described in Cumberland county, North Carolina, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a dead pine on the east side of Buckhead, Burrows corner, then north 61 degrees east fifteen and one-half chains to the old corner; then north sixteen chains; then west two chains and ten links to Simon's corner; then north two degrees, east 51 chains and 75 links; then west 8 chains and 65 links to Johnson's corner; then north 61 degrees east 13 chains and 20 links to Johnson's other corner; then west 41 chains to a stake and pointers, Graddy's corner; then south ten and one-half chains to a stake, J. L. West's corner; then south 17 degrees east ten and one half chains to his corner, on the Factory Road; then as it south 53 degrees west 21 chains to a stake, Strickland's corner; then with his line south 17 degrees east 6 chains and 70 links to Patishall's line, then as it east 2 chains and 85 links to the corner; then with Patishall's line south 2 degrees west twenty and one-half chains to the corner; then west two and one-half chains to Holmes' corner; then south six and one-half chains to Holmes' other corner; then east 5 chains and 24 links to a stake and pointer; then south 6 chains to Phillips' corner; then as his line east 3 chains and 17 links; then south 3 chains and 17 links to Patishall's line; then east 12 chains and 68 links to Robinson's corner; then south 3 chains and 17 links to a stake in the old line; then east fifteen and one-half chains to the beginning, containing 328.3 acres, less one acre sold to the Knights of Labor, two acres sold to J. B. Patishall, two and one-sixth acres sold to N. F. Holmes, four acres sold to Sykes and four acres sold to Grims. [See mortgage recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Cumberland county, North Carolina, in Book L, No. 4, at page 483.]

Place of sale: Market House, Fayetteville.
Time of sale: 12 o'clock noon, Saturday, May 19th, 1900.
Terms of sale: Cash.

S. H. MacRAE,
Commissioner.

Dated April 14, 1900.

## Valuable City Real Estate for Sale.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court of Cumberland county, made April 14th, 1900, in the special proceedings entitled W. J. McMillan, guardian of Wm. J. McMillan, Jr., and Lucy McMillan, *ex parte*, I will offer for sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Market House in the city of Fayetteville, on

**Thursday, May 17th, 1900,**

at 12 m, the following valuable real estate, to-wit: The lot of land on Wilmington road known as the "Thomas McDaniel 10 acre lot," adjoining Holt-Williamson cotton factory and others, containing about 9¼ acres.

Sale is to be made subject to the confirmation of the Court.

H. L. COOK, Commissioner.

April 14, 1900.


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## Executor's Notice.

The undersigned, having this day qualified as Executor of the last will and testament of Mrs. Emaline Mintz, notice is hereby given to all persons holding claims against the estate of the said Emaline Mintz to present them to the undersigned on or before the 10th day of April, 1901, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment.

THOS. M. HUNTER,
Executor.

Robinson & Shaw, Attorneys.

## Libel Notice.

The following personal property was seized in this the 4th District of North Carolina as follows:

Near Hope Mills 3rd of March, 1900, 2 kegs of Whisky, about 12 gallons.

On the 16th March, at G. M. Taylor's registered distillery, 6 barrels corn whisky, 219 gallons, one copper still, cap and two worms 6 fermenters, 2 mash tubs, &c.

Any person claiming interest in any of said property must file claims before me at my office in Raleigh within thirty days from date of this libel notice and show cause why said property shall not be forfeited to the United States.

Given under my hand and official seal this the 17th day of March, 1900.

E. C. DUNCAN,
2-19-oaw3w Collector 4th Dist., N. C.

## Notice of Summons.

NORTH CAROLINA, Cumberland Co. } In Superior Court, before the Clerk.

Eva (Manly) Bell *vs.* John A. Manly, Caroline McMillan, William McMillan, Charlotte Manly, Caldon Manly, Mary Francis Manly, Maggie Jane Manly, Sarah Kate Manly, Flora Smith Manly, Charles Lovett—Publication of Summons.

The defendants John A Manly, Caroline McMillan, William McMillan, Charlotte Manly, Caldon Manly, Mary Francis Manly, Maggie Jane Manly, Sarah Kate Manly and Flora Smith Manly, above named, will take notice that an action entitled as above, has been commenced in the Superior Court of Cumberland County for the pose of having a sale and division of proceeds among the tenants in common, the complaint now being on file in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court in said county, and the said defendants will further take notice that they are required to be and appear at the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Cumberland county, N. C, on the 16th day of April, 1900, and answer or demur to the said complaint, or the plaintiffs will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This 3rd day of March, 1900.

A. A. McKETHAN,
Clerk of the Superior Court.
H. L. Cook, Att'y.

NORTH CAROLINA, Cumberland County. } In the Superior Court, March Term, 1900.

Archie Turner
*vs.*
Maggie Turner. } Notice of Summons by Publication.

Maggie Turner, the defendant above named, will take notice that an action entitled Archie Turner *vs.* Maggie Turner has been commenced in the Superior Court of Cumberland County for a divorce from the bonds of matrimony, for the causes set out in the complaint, which is on file in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of Cumberland county; and the said defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear at the next term of the Superior Court of Cumberland county to be held on the 9th Monday after the first Monday in March, 1900, at the Court House of said county in Fayetteville, N. C., and answer or demur to the complaint now on file in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This March 26th, 1900.

A. A. McKETHAN,
C. S. C.

Samuel H. MacRae, Att'y for Pl'ff.

NORTH CAROLINA, Cumberland County. } In the Superior Court before C. S. C.

Mary B. Thames *et al.*
*vs*
D. B. Culbreth *et al.*

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court made in the special proceedings entitled Mary B. Thames *et al. vs.* D. B. Culbreth *et al.*, April 6th, 1900, the undersigned commissioners will offer for sale, at the Market House in Fayetteville, N. C., on

**MAY 7th, 1900,**

at 12 o'clock M., the Spearman lands in Gray's Creek Township, subdivided into four tracts of 86 acres, including dwelling; 84½ acres; 73¼ acres, and 14 acres. Terms cash, or one-half cash, balance in 6 months Title reserved until purchase money is paid. Sale subject to confirmation of court.

April 6th, 1900.

H. L. COOK,
D. T. OATES,
Commissioners.

## Notice of Sale.

By virtue of the authority contained in a mortgage deed, executed to me on the 23rd day of February, 1897, by K. E. Barefoot, and duly registered in the Register's office of Cumberland county, in Book A, No. 5, page 6, I shall sell, at auction for cash, at the Court House door in the town of Fayetteville, on the

**26th day of March, 1900,**

the following real property, to-wit;

A certain piece or tract of land lying and being in Cumberland County, State of North Carolina, in Black River Township, and described and defined as follows:

Beginning at a cypress in the main run of Mingo and runs *N* 6¾ *W* 25 poles and 15 links to a hickory on the side of the path; thence *N* 72 *W* 25 poles to a stake in the path; thence *N* 23 *W* 139 poles to a stake on the west side of Reedy Branch; thence *S* 45 *W* 26 poles to a small black gum in the edge of a small branch; thence South 57 chains and 70 links to a cypress knee in the main run of Mingo; thence up the main run as it meanders to the beginning, containing 100 acres and fully described in said mortgage.

This 16th day of February, 1900.

L. E. PARKER; Mortgagee.
James D. Parker, Att'y.

By consent the above sale is postponed without prejudice, to take place at Court House, Fayetteville, N. C.,

**Monday, May 7th, 1900,**

at 12 o'clock M. This March 26th, 1900.
JAS. D. PARKER, Att'y for Mortgagee.
ROBINSON & SHAW, Att'ys for Mortg'r.

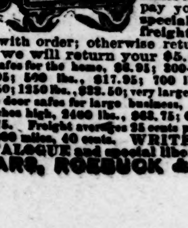
NORTH CAROLINA, Cumberland County. } In the Superior Court, before the Clerk.

D. T. Oates administrator of Chas. Maxwell, deceased, *versus* Theodore Blocker, Edward Blocker, William Blocker, Alex. Blocker, Charles Moore, Fred. Moore, Haywood Moore, Ella Moore, Mary Moore, Lula Moore, Mary Gill, Mary McNeill and her husband, —— McNeill, Ella Washington and her husband, —— Washington, and John Gill, the same being the heirs at-law of Charles Maxwell deceased—Service by Publication.

The defendants above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Cumberland County, by D. T. Oates, administrator, against the heirs-at law of his intestate, Charles Maxwell, in which it is sought to obtain an order to sell land to make assets; and the said defendants, above named, will take further notice that they are required to appear before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Cumberland County on the 19th day of May, 1900. at the Court House in the aforesaid State and County, in Fayetteville, N. C., at 12 o'clock noon, and answer or demur to the complaint in said action, which is on file with the Clerk, or the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

Dated this April 3rd, 1900.

A. A. McKETHAN,
Clerk Superior Court.
Samuel H. MacRae, Attorney.

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SAGINAW..................Saturday, April 21

FROM WILMINGTON FOR NEW YORK.

SAGINAW..................Saturday April 14
ONEIDA..................Saturday, April 21

FROM WILMINGTON for GEORGETOWN.

SAGINAW..................Tuesday, April 10
ONEIDA..................Tuesday April 17

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## Wilmington & Weldon Rail Road

**AND BRANCHES**

**AND A. C. L. RAILROAD COMPANY OF SOUTH CAROLINA.**

CONDENSED SCHEDULE.

TRAINS GOING SOUTH.

| DATED Nov. 19, 1899. | No 23, Daily. | No 35, Daily. | No. 103 D'ly ex Sunday | No 41, Daily. | No 49, Daily. |
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| | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. | A. M. | P. M. |
| Leave Weldon | 11 50 | 8 58 | | | |
| Ar Rocky Mt. | 12 55 | 10 04 | | | |
| Leave Tarboro | 12 21 | | 6 00 | | |
| Lv Rocky Mt. | 1 00 | 10 04 | 5 45 | 5 40 | 12 52 |
| Leave Wilson | 1 58 | 10 25 | 7 10 | 6 20 | 2 40 |
| Leave Selma | 2 55 | | | | |
| Lv Fayetteville | 4 30 | 12 19 | | | |
| Ar Florence | 7 25 | 2 34 | | | |
| | P. M. | A. M. | | | |
| Ar Goldsboro | ...... | ...... | 7 50 | | |
| Lv Goldsboro | | | | 7 01 | 3 21 |
| Lv Magnolia | | | | 8 09 | 4 25 |
| Ar Wilmington | | | | 9 40 | 5 50 |
| | | | P. M. | A. M. | P. M. |

TRAINS GOING NORTH.

| | No 78, Daily. | No. 102, D'ly ex. Sunday. | No 32, Daily. | No 40 Daily. | No 48 Daily. |
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| | A. M. | | P. M. | | |
| Lv Florence | 9 40 | | 7 45 | | |
| Lv Fayetteville | 12 20 | | 9 45 | | |
| Leave Selma | 1 50 | | 10 54 | | |
| Arrive Wilson | 2 55 | | 11 31 | | |
| | | A. M. | | P. M. | A. M. |
| Lv Wilmington | | | | 7 00 | 9 45 |
| Lv Magnolia | | | | 8 34 | 11 19 |
| Lv Goldsboro | | 5 15 | | 9 45 | 12 30 |
| | P. M. | | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. |
| Leave Wilson | 2 35 | 5 43 | 11 31 | 10 38 | 1 16 |
| Ar Rocky Mt. | 3 30 | 6 15 | 12 07 | 11 35 | 1 53 |
| Ar Tarboro | | 7 04 | | | |
| Leave Tarboro | 12 21 | | | | |
| Lv Rocky Mt. | 3 30 | | 12 09 | | |
| Arrive Weldon | 4 32 | | 1 00 | | |
| | P. M. | | A. M. | P. M. | |

†Daily except Monday. ‡Daily except Sunday.

Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, Yadkin Division Main Line—train leaves Wilmington, 9 00 a. m, arrives Fayetteville 12.15 p. m. Leaves Fayetteville 12.25 p. m, arrives Sanford 1.43 p. m. Returning leave Sanford 2.30 p. m, arrive Fayetteville 3.45 p. m. Leave Fayetteville 3.50 p. m, arrive Wilmington 6.50 p. m.

Wilmington and Weldon Railroad, Bennettsville Branch—train leaves Bennettsville 8.15 a. m, Maxton 9.20 a. m, Red Springs 9.53 a m, Hope Mills 10.42 a. m, arrive Fayetteville 10.50. Returning leaves Fayetteville 4.40 p. m, Hope Mills 4.55 p. m, Red Springs 5.35 p. m, Maxton 6.15 p. m, arrives Bennettsville 7.15 p. m.

Connections at Fayetteville with train No. 78, at Maxton with the Carolina Central Railroad, at Red Springs with the Red Springs and Bowmore Railroad, at Sanford with the Seaboard Air Line and Southern Railway, at Gulf with the Durham and Charlotte Railroad.

Trains on the Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3:35 P. M., Halifax 4:15 P. M. arrive Scotland Neck at 5:08 P. M., Greenville 6.57 P. M., Kinston 7:55 P. M. Returning, leaves Kinston 7:50 A. M., Greenville 8:52 A. M. Arriving Halifax at 11:18 A. M., Weldon 11:33 A. M., daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 8:10 A. M., and 2:30 P. M., arrive Parmele 9:10 A. M., and 4:00 P. M., returning leave Parmele 9:35 A. M., and 6:30 P. M., arrive Washington 11:00 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Daily except Sunday.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday at 5:30 P. M., Sunday, 4:15 P. M., arrives Plymouth 7:40 P. M., 6:10 P. M. Returning, leaves Plymouth daily except Sunday, 7:50 A. M., and Sunday 9.00 A. M., arrives Tarboro 10:05 A. M., 11:00 A. M.

Train on Midland N. C. Branch leaves Goldsboro daily except Sunday, 7:05 A. M., arriving Smithfield 8:10 A. M. Returning, leaves Smithfield 9:00 A. M.; arrive Goldsboro 10:25 A. M.

Trains on Nashville Branch leave Rocky Mount at 9:30 A. M., 3:40 P. M., arrive Nashville 10:10 A. M., 4:03 P. M., Spring Hope 10:40 A. M., 4:55 P. M. Returning, leave Spring Hope 11:00 A. M., 4:55 P. M., Nashville 11:22 A. M., 5:25 P. M., arrive Rocky Mount 11:45 A. M., 6:00 P. M., daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leaves Warsaw for Clinton, daily, except Sunday, at 11:40 A. M., and 4:15 P. M. Returning, leaves Clinton at 7.00 A. M., and 2:50 P. M.

Train No. 78 makes close connection at Weldon for all points North daily, all rail via Richmond.

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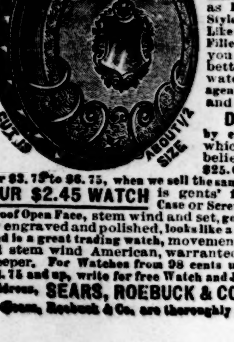

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